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DISCUSS BILL BEFORE EASTER

Government's Decision in Regard to Second Reading of Irish Home Rule Measure Announced by Mr. Law

SHOW DETERMINATION TO PUSH LEGISLATION

St. John Ervine, Eminent Author and Playwright, Speaks Emphatically Against Work of Irish Extremists

LONDON, March 8.—The Government has decided that it is absolutely necessary to have the second reading discussion of the Irish Home Rule Bill before the Easter recess, Mr. Andrew Bonar Law announced in the House of Commons.

It was essential, he said, in view of the position in Ireland that it should be made plain that so far as the Government was concerned, they meant to continue with the bill, which was the most important measure of the session.

TORONTO, March 8. — St. John Ervine, Irish playwright and author, in an interview here on Saturday, said: "I am dead against an Irish republic, because it would be very bad for Ireland and because the English would, very rightfully, be opposed to it."

Mr. Ervine, who was born in Belfast and lost a leg in the war, said he was a follower of Sir Horace Plunkett, and believed in the Dominion Home Rule. He blamed the British Government for keeping Sinn Feinism alive by its frequent mistakes in handling the Irish question.

One of the mistakes, in his opinion, was the appointment of Lord French to the position of Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, who, he said, possessed no qualifications for civil government.

"Ireland is suffering at the hands of extremists," said Mr. Ervine. I would hang both Carson and De Valera—Carson first, to be sure of him."

DO NOT DESIRE PARTY PATRONAGE

Civil Servants, Through Their Federation, Object to Return of Old System—Action of Their President Endorsed

OTTAWA, March 8.—That the Civil Service Federation is strongly opposed to a reversion to the party patronage system in regard to civil service appointments was plainly evidenced at this afternoon's session of the convention being held here. The members practically unanimously endorsed the action of the president, Frank Grierson, who, on receipt of a letter from W. T. R. Preston, of Port Hope, stating that he intended instituting an active campaign for the support of party patronage, replied in no uncertain terms that Mr. Preston need not look to the Federation for any assistance in his efforts, and intimating that he (Grierson) could not conceive of any sane man, much less a good citizen, espousing the cause.

A resolution endorsing the action of the president was almost unanimously supported, the only member against this proposal being Mr. Matheson, of Toronto, who, while not in favor of party patronage thought the expression of an opinion by the Federation would stir up trouble between that body and many members of Parliament. He argued that as they were shortly to bring up the bonus question, it would be foolish to make enemies over a matter which really rested with Parliament.

The only other business of importance was an application from the amalgamated postal workers for affiliation with the Federation. The president and secretary of the postal workers were both in attendance and stated their case, but the matter was referred to the committee for report.

CAPTAIN AND MATE SUFFER SUSPENSION

HALIFAX, March 9.—Capt. Ernest Chriscoe's certificate was suspended for three months and second officer Samuel Blackmore was censured for the loss of the Leyland liner Bohemian on the Sambro ledges last week when the court of inquiry read their finding at 12:30 o'clock today.

The court suspended the captain's certificate because he did not make sure of his position and did not take any soundings or verify his bearings. They censured the second officer for not suggesting to the captain the necessity of verifying the ship's position.

DECLARES POLES TAKE OFFENSIVE

COPENHAGEN, March 8.—M. Litvinoff, Bolshevik representative, says he received news from Moscow today that the Poles had started a big offensive toward Gomel.

POSTAL DELEGATES VISITING CAPITAL

OTTAWA, March 8.—With the object of bringing about co-operation in common among post office employees throughout Canada, five delegates from Western Canada are in the city this week conferring with the post office employees here. In a word it is an endeavor to heal a split in the ranks of the letter carriers' federation, which occurred last year. The Western delegates are F. Knowles, Vancouver; P. W. Redman, Regina; J. McConnaughy, Vancouver; C. Bivers, Victoria; and J. A. Elrick. The delegates stated that during their stay in Ottawa they expected to meet representatives of the railway mail clerks, but stated that the representatives of the letter carriers were not prepared to meet them.

They held a most friendly meeting today with representatives of the postal clerks and presented to them suggestions on which could be based co-operation of both the postal employees from the West and East.

The representatives of the clerks, however, did not give their reply at today's meeting, but decided not to give their reply until after the convention of postal clerks, to be held here March 22.

Italian Cabinet

PARIS, March 8.—A Rome dispatch says Premier Nitti will make some changes in the Italian Cabinet because of differences regarding the internal policy of the Government.

MR. WILSON HOLDS BY ARTICLE TEN

Opposed to Any Reservation Which Would Weaken Its Force—"Nullifiers and Mild Nullifiers" Indistinguishable

WASHINGTON, March 8.—President Wilson re-stated for Democratic senators today his opposition to any peace treaty reservations which would weaken the full force of Article Ten or materially impair provisions of the League covenant.

Without saying specifically what qualification he would or would not accept, he wrote to Senator Hitchcock, Administration leader, that almost all the reservations he had heard suggested were "in effect virtual nullifications" of the treaty articles to which they applied.

"I hear of reservationists and mild reservationists," the letter added, "but I cannot understand the difference between a nullifier and a mild nullifier."

Discussing Article 10, the President wrote that there was "no escaping the moral obligations expressed in positive terms in this article," though there could be no objection to legislating in an interpretation of the constitutional methods by which such an obligation would have to be fulfilled.

"The very heart of the covenant," he reiterated, would be imperilled by weakening Article Ten.

AMBASSADOR TO U. S. IS GIVEN INCREASE

LONDON, March 8.—The British Ambassador at Washington here after will receive £20,000 yearly.

His salary will be £2,500, and entertainment allowance £17,500, Premier Lloyd George announced in the House of Lords today.

SHIPOWNERS' STOCK CONTINUES TO SELL

"We have invested in the Victoria Shipowners, Limited, because we believe that it is our duty to do so because no city is so well off as the one with a payroll. We need help, but first we must try to help ourselves; we have hundreds of people here who owe everything they have to Victoria, and it is their duty to subscribe to the limit and help to bring Victoria back to the industrial position she has temporarily lost. Too many of us lose sight of the fact that we all live off one and another, and as soon as the wage earner loses his employment the money he would receive ceases to circulate and the worker has to look for new fields of employment, both to his loss and the city in general.

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The Victoria Shipowners, Limited, still require $82,950 to make up the required capital necessary before the commencement of work. Yesterday's subscriptions amounted to $2,500.

FARMERS GATHER UP FUND FOR ELECTION

WINNIPEG, March 8.—Seven hundred canvassers under direction of district captains commenced today a drive to secure funds for the United Farmers of Manitoba with which to contest the next federal elections.

The head of every farm home in the province will be canvassed during the week, and the "drive" will conclude Saturday night.

CRISIS IN EGYPT CAUSED BY GREED

Raising of Grain Crops Is Neglected in Order to Profit by High Cotton Prices—Situation Is Difficult

LONDON, March 8.—The food crisis in Egypt is due mainly to landowners, including the landowning peasantry, increasing the area planted in cotton so as to take advantage of the prices of cotton, according to The Daily Mail's Cairo correspondent.

"Wheat and other cereals actually have been plowed up when approaching maturity in order to sow cotton," the correspondent then continues, "and the cotton area is now nearly 25 per cent greater than before the war. Normally Egypt practically feeds herself, but in view of the present shortage of cereals there is great danger of the famished people being driven to rioting. The situation is bad in the towns, but is worse in the country. It is at its worst in Upper Egypt, where difficulties of importation are greater.

"Gambling in cotton seed has been disastrously widespread among all classes. Mendacity and theft are rife. Nationalist agitators are persuading the peasants that their plight is due to the British. The outlook is difficult."

WINNIPEG OFFICER KILLED BY SAVAGES

WINNIPEG, March 8.—News of the murder of Major Edgar Ronald Mills, of Winnipeg, by Bolsheviki in Siberia was received in this city today by his family.

Major Mills and three other British officers were shot by the Bolsheviki near Taiga, Siberia, about December 22, 1919, according to a message from the war office.

Major Mills left Winnipeg in 1917, receiving a commission in the Royal Engineers. After service in France until the armistice, he volunteered for service in Russia. The last letter received by his family from him was mailed last October.

Mrs. Ada Mills, his widow, and a son and daughter, survive him.

Death of Rayner Gray

VANCOUVER, B.C., March 8.—Rayner W. Gray died suddenly from an internal hemorrhage on Sunday at the family residence, 3789 Keefer street. Mr. Gray was in town on Wednesday and then appeared to be in good health. The deceased was a well known "Soccer" player, often playing in Victoria before coming to Vancouver.

STOCK EXCHANGE HAS EXCITEMENT

Incorrect Report of Supreme Court Sends Prices Down Rapidly—Sharp Recovery Follows Correction of Error

WASHINGTON, March 8.—Corporation dividends distributed as stock do not constitute "income" and are not subject to Federal income taxes, the Supreme Court decided today in a five-to-four decision.

NEW YORK, March 8.—Wall Street was thrown into a state of demoralisation today, and many hundreds of thousands of dollars were lost and won within a few minutes when news agencies which serve the district misstated the decision of the United States Supreme Court in the stock tax case and declared stock dividends were taxable.

The service of the Associated Press was accurate in every particular. After its report reached the street, stocks, which had broken 2 to 10 points under an avalanche of selling orders, steadied and began to climb. For the balance of the session prices continued to strengthen, final quotations for leading shares making double gains. During the declines frightened traders sold almost regardless of value. The hundreds of thousands of dollars they forfeited were captured on the rebound by others who had refused to sell on the strength of the first and false reports, or who were ignorant of what was happening.

General Motors, the star performer, gained 15 points before noon, reacted 11 points on receipt of the erroneous report and then rose to 80½, a net gain of 42 1-2 points. Crucible Steel, another spectacular feature, gained 30 points after having shown an actual loss of 10 points.

WILL NOT BORROW MORE MONEY ABROAD

LONDON, March 8.—Mr. Austen Chamberlain, Chancellor of the Exchequer, discussing in the House of Commons today the decision not to renew the Anglo-French loan in the United States, stated that Great Britain had no intention of re-borrowing outside the United Kingdom any part of the sum required, so that when the loan to repaid Great Britain will have reduced her external debt by more than £40,000,000.

The Chancellor added: "We shall employ for the purpose resources already available in the United States, and to the extent to which they are not sufficient we shall ship gold. We have already made a beginning by buying Anglo-French bonds in the market at a considerable discount below par."

VANCOUVER, B.C., March 8.—On charges of trafficking in drugs, police officers late this afternoon arrested Lum Kew and You Tee Chingsen, and seized alleged cocaine and heroin valued at $7,500.

STUBBORN BATTLES STILL CONTINUING IN PART OF RUSSIA

ADVOCATES BASES ON PACIFIC COAST

WASHINGTON, March 8.—Immediate and extensive enlargement of the naval docking and base facilities of the Pacific, and legislation to provide a naval reserve force of at least 200,000, was advocated today before the House naval committee by Secretary Daniels. He asked authority to start construction of a new base on San Francisco Bay below Mare Island, and urged that $10,000,000 be made available at once. He first estimated the cost at $75,000,000, but later said it might be done for $40,000,000.

Two new submarine and destroyer bases on the Northwest coast, one at Port Angeles, Wash., and the other at Astoria, Oregon, were urged, as well as extensive developments at Hawaii and Guam.

Expressing the belief that in the next war, as in the last, the United States would send its troops into the enemy's country, Mr. Daniels said a large navy and strong naval reserve were "absolutely necessary."

ESTIMATE VALUE OF FARM LANDS

Bureau of Statistics Awards Premier Place to British Columbia—Increases Noted in All Provinces

OTTAWA, March 8.—The Dominion bureau of statistics publishes today its annual report on the average values for the year 1919, on estimates of the values of farm lands, the wages for farm help, and the value of farm livestock and wool. These estimates have been compiled from the returns of a large corps of correspondents throughout every province of the Dominion.

The average value of farm lands for the Dominion, including improved and unimproved lands, together with value of dwellings and other farm buildings, increased at $53 per acre, against $46 last year, $44 in 1917, $41 in 1916, $40 in 1915, $38 in 1914 and $37 in 1910. This shows an enhancement in value of farm lands of $14, or 35.8 per cent in five years.

By provinces, the value is highest in British Columbia, being $174 as compared with an estimated unit value of $149 an acre in 1917 and 1918.

Ontario, with an estimated average value of $66 an acre, and Quebec, with $72 an acre, are above the average for the Dominion. Last year both Ontario and Quebec gave each the average value of farm lands at $67 an acre.

The value of farm lands in Manitoba, while fluctuating between $29 in 1910 and $32 in 1918, rose to $35 an acre in 1919. In Saskatchewan farm lands were valued at $32, as against $29 an acre in 1918 and $24 in 1914, and Alberta lands increased in value from $21 an acre in 1914 to $27 in 1917 and $28 in 1919.

Wool Delayed By Strike

BUENOS AYRES, March 8.—Sixteen million pounds of wool, part of which is destined for the United States, has been accumulated at Bahia Blanca, but cannot be shipped because of the port strike, it is announced in dispatches. An early settlement of the strike is expected.

Moscow Wireless Report Speaks of Fighting in Mozier and Devrutch Regions—French Gunboats Exchange Fire With Land Artillery—Bolshevik Offer Made to Finland

MINISTER SPEAKS OF TRADE MATTERS

Declares Great Question for Russia Is Restoration of Transport Facilities—Railways in Crippled State—Openings for Foreign Capital—Soviets to Respect Contracts

LONDON, March 8.—A Moscow wireless dispatch says that in the Mozier and Devrutch regions stubborn fighting is in progress. Near Ptchakov, the dispatch adds, French gunboats have exchanged fire with the Bolsheviki land artillery.

The Bolsheviki at Odessa captured the Russian cruiser Admiral Taksimoff and four fast torpedo-boat destroyers, one scout vessel, one steamer, three trawlers, two cutters and two submarines, according to a wireless communication received today from Moscow.

HELSINGFORS, March 8.—Bolsheviki forces have stopped their advance on the Karelia front, on condition that Finland opens peace negotiations.

MOSCOW, March 8 (wireless to London).—The first plenary meeting of the newly-elected Moscow soviet has just taken place. Seventy thousand votes were cast. There were 588,000 who had no right to vote, of whom 468,000 were children. The others were criminals and those whose incomes were not derived from labor. Under the Russian emperor only 15,000 voted, while under Kerensky 45,000 were permitted the franchise.

MOSCOW, March 8.—M. Kressin, who, as head of the Bolsheviki department of trade and commerce and transportation, will be a leading member of the commission to visit England to discuss the reopening of trade with Soviet Russia, declares that the burning question in Russia is the solution of the transportation problem.

The immediate need is locomotives and equipment, with repair shops, six years of war having resulted in general breakdowns. There is no use talking export, he says, unless food has been distributed to the hungry poor of Russia.

"We have no illusions on the present state of our credit. We will make few promises, but are prepared to keep all obligations we contract. Some industries may be rehabilitated without outside help, notably textiles.

"Regarding concession to foreign capital, the Government is prepared to adopt a liberal policy, providing Soviet laws regarding labor are observed. Foreign firms will be given the right to export a definite part of their output. There are opportunities for foreign capital in new railroad lines, founderies, by-products of the coal industry, salt, beet sugar and cotton plantations."

"The question of compensation for losses sustained by foreign capital has not yet been settled, but as we stated last Winter to Bullitt (Wm. C. Bullitt, an American newspaper correspondent) Soviet Russia is ready to pay her debts."

Schleswig Demonstration

COPENHAGEN, March 8.—A demonstration in favor of the reunion of Flensburg, Schleswig, with Denmark, occurred yesterday. Fifty thousand persons, headed by war veterans, marched to the Royal Palace, where they were addressed by King Christian.

POWERS CREATE PUBLIC SUSPICION

Policy of Government in Dealing With Natural Resources Meets With Criticism of the Member for Fort George

That the public is getting suspicious of the manner in which the Government is placing in the hands of Ministers the almost sole control of the great mineral resources of the Province, was the view expressed by Mr. W. R. Ross, Conservative member for Fort George, in continuing the debate on the motion for the second reading of the bill to amend the Mineral Act in the Legislature yesterday afternoon. The bill proposes to give the Lieutenant-Governor-in-council power, upon the advice of the Minister of Mines, to place iron ore lands under reserve and to fix royalties upon the basis of the iron ore produced.

It was the same power, Mr. Ross stated, that had been granted to the Minister of Lands, in 1917, in respect of coal and oil lands. By such legislation the two great resources required in the development of an iron and steel industry would be subject to the sole direction and disposition of the two Ministers.

The debate was participated in by Mr. Charles Nelson, Slocan, who charged the Opposition with seeking by insinuation to create political propaganda; by Mr. J. H. Hawthornthwaite, who criticised both political parties, accusing the Conservatives of having done nothing to develop the mineral resources, and the Liberals of lacking courage to go further and themselves develop the gold bearing areas, reaping millions in revenue, the while he was willing to admit the bill before the House was a step in

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MAJOR W. McLEOD IS ON RETIRED LIST

WINNIPEG, March 8.—Major W. McLeod, assistant chief of the intelligence department of the Canadian Pacific Railway, well known in Western Canada military circles, was retired tonight. Major McLeod has been placed on the retired list of militia officers with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel.

During the war Major McLeod acted as district intelligence officer and later as present assistant of Military District No. 10. He is a veteran of the Northwest Rebellion of 1885, and of the South African war. He came west in 1878.

Confirms Massacre Of 18,000 Armenians

Dr. Kennedy, Stationed at Adana, Sends Report Showing Great Distress in Marash District—All-India Moslem League Adopts Resolution—Unfounded Rumors of Clash

LONDON, March 8.—Dr. Kennedy, in charge of the Lord Mayor's relief fund at Adana, where there are 25,000 Armenian refugees, has sent a message to A. Williams, member of the House of Commons, confirming the massacre of 18,000 Armenians in the Marash district. The city was burned and has not been relieved. Thirteen hundred women and children perished in a snowstorm. Eight thousand Armenians are still at Marash, and many are wounded.

LUCKNOW, British India, March 8.—The council of the All-India Moslem League has adopted a resolution protesting against the outburst of Christian bigotry in England in the campaign to take Constantinople from the Turks. It declares that insistance upon this will "drive the Mohammedans to desperate action."

LONDON, March 8.—Reports were in circulation here today that there had been a clash between Allied troops and Turkish forces in Constantinople, but these were discredited at the War Office and the Admiralty, as well as at the Foreign Office. Officials stated that they had received no message indicating a clash at Constantinople and that they believed the reports to be untrue.

PARIS, March 8.—It was officially stated today that the sailing of French troops for the Near East had no connection with recent events in Turkey. The troops were partly soldiers rejoining their regiments in the army of occupation after leave of absence, the announcement adds, while the others were replacement troops.

PARIS, March 8.—A Havas dispatch from Constantinople confirms the proclamation of the Turkish Cabinet declaring Constantinople the seat of the Navy, the correspondent adds, has been charged with the formation of a new ministry.

LONDON, March 8.—The Premier was asked in the House today whether in drawing up the final peace terms the Supreme Council would take steps to prevent "the further misuse" as a mosque of the Church of St. Sophia at Constantinople and restore it to the use for which it was built as one of the great shrines of Christendom. Mr. Lloyd George replied that the Allies as at present advised do not contemplate any change in this matter.

RIBERTA, Northern Africa, March 8.—A British squadron, which arrived at Oran, has proceeded to Constantinople.

LONDON, March 9.—Harold Buxton, in a letter to The Times today commenting on a report that 50,000 troops are to be sent to Constantinople, says:

"No matter how many troops are sent to Constantinople the present critical situation will not be relieved until we come to grips with Mustapha Kemal Pasha, Turkish commander in Asia Minor and Cilicia. Not a single European or American in Anatolia today is safe."

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 8.—The Turkish press is much agitated over the understanding between Armenians and Kurds and the efforts of the Kurdish leaders in Paris to obtain autonomy for Kurdistan.

Abdul Kador Effendi, representing Kurdistan in the Senate, today condemned the agreement between the Armenians and the Kurds to cease fighting. He also defended Kurdistan's claims for autonomy.

Consequently, he has become the storm center for the rage of the press, which is quoting many messages from the Kurds saying they do not desire to break away from the Caliphate.

Ex-Minister's Speech Gets Much Attention

Argument of Sir Thomas White for Formation of Liberal-Conservative Party and His Advocacy of Protective Tariff Stir Up Interest—Other Speeches in Debate

OTTAWA, March 8.—Sir Thomas White, ex-Minister of Finance, intervened in the House debate on the address today with a speech which has set political gossip agog. From first to last the speech was militant.

"Carry on," Sir Thomas exclaimed, as he strenuously opposed the idea of a general election. "Carry on—that is what the people of Canada expect this Government to do."

"I say this to the Government and to the members of this side of the House," Sir Thomas went on to the cheers of ministerial members. "If Sir Robert Borden will form a National Liberal-Conservative party, consisting of the old Conservative party and of the members of the Liberal party who joined him on that great issue and who think alike on national and financial questions, he will carry the country."

On the fiscal issue, Sir Thomas came out frankly for a protective tariff. In his view the people would not tolerate a fiscal policy which regarded the tariff "only as a means of raising revenue and disregarded it as an instrument for the development of national resources."

The workman would not support a free trade policy robbing him of his own employment. The farmer, once he knew the facts on both sides, would not support a policy closing home markets for the more precarious markets of the United States, which might at any time be closed by Congress.

He was strongly critical of the formation of a third political party. Third parties were a common phenomenon; they were unavoidable under the British constitutional system. There could be nothing worse for Canada than the return to Parliament of groups, each having their own group interests.

In the corridors tonight the speech is discussed, particularly in its bearing on the general political situation. Does it mean the return of the ex-Minister to active politics? Such is the query commonly heard. But of any intentions along such lines Sir Thomas gave no indication in his speech.

Sir Thomas was followed by Mr. Copp, who queried why, if the Union Government could sweep the country, it could not take the opportunity. Sir Thomas had advised the Government to carry on, but Sir Thomas had himself, said Mr. Copp, been eager to leave the sinking ship.

During further debate, W. L. Richardson, of Springfield, urged the Government to take necessary steps to prevent proposed increases in freight rates from being put into effect. Other speakers were D. D. Mackenzie, Colchester; Captain McCuaig and Captain Manion, the last named urging a scientific tariff, between the free trade extremists of the West and the protectionists of the East.

Captain Reid, Grenville, and Dr. Simpson, Regina, both announced that they would support the Government in tomorrow's vote.

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SIR THOS. WHITE ADDRESSES HOUSE

Shows Futility of Calling for Election at Present Time—Mandate to Government in 1917 Would Be Ignored

OTTAWA, March 8.—Sir Thomas White today continued the debate on the address. When he retired from the Government, he said, it was his intention also to resign his seat in Parliament, but at the request of the Prime Minister and also of many prominent citizens of both political parties in his constituency, he retained his membership in the House. This, he added, afforded him an opportunity of answering any questions which might arise touching the policy of the Government and the administration of public finances during his period of office.

He was, said Sir Thomas, an old friend of the leader of the Opposition. Therefore, he did not like to see a young man—for Mr. King was young in the world of politics—starting off by making a mistake. The amendment which Mr. King had moved indicated that he was making a mistake in being in too great hurry. His amendment stated that the Government was incompetent, unsuitable and had run its course. Not only had Mr. King moved his amendment, but he persisted in insisting that he really desired an election.

"I think, however, that he must mean it in a Pickwickian sense," said Sir Thomas, "because if my honorable friend really desired an election, I should be filled with admiration at his temerity."

Sir Thomas went on to say that as far as he could see there was absolutely nothing in an election for Mr. King and his followers.

Three Years to Go

An election had been held over two years ago, the Government being returned by an overwhelming majority. The Government had still three years to run. "No criticism can be made of the Prime Minister if he continues to carry on as long as he can command a majority in the House," said Sir Thomas, "and I think that tomorrow night will show that he can still command this majority. Indeed if there were any danger of his failing to obtain this majority, I would expect some members of His Majesty's loyal opposition to absent themselves in order that this might not occur."

Sir Thomas went at some length into the 1917 election mandate. "There never was a more clear mandate given in this country, and there never was as large a majority behind such a mandate," he said. Dealing with the 1911 election, he said the issue was the Manitoba school law and the tariff. Did the late Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his government resign when the school law had been dealt with and the tariff revised? asked Sir Thomas.

Sir Thomas added: "There is nothing in the world so disturbing to trade conditions as a general election, and I for one am strongly opposed to elections at such short intervals.

"I am certain that as far as constitutional questions are concerned, there is no such question," said Sir Thomas, "and it is the duty of the Premier and his Government to carry on until such time as, in the discretion and judgment of the Prime Minister, he thinks it proper to advise the Governor-General to dissolve Parliament, or until the Government has sustained defeat in this House.

The Franchise Act

"It has been said that the franchise act is not fair. I don't agree with that. If one took the trouble to study the statistics of the 1917 election he would find that in every case the majorities were so large that the soldiers' vote made no difference to the actual result, and if you eliminated every woman voter from the 1917 election you would still have the same result. There never was a more decisive result, and as I say, there never was a clearer mandate.

"And again, if that person will read the mandate prepared by the Prime Minister in 1917, he will find that it deals with war problems and problems arising out of the war. We have many of these problems with us today, and we shall continue to have them for many years to come. I should think the Government would be entirely misinterpreting its mandate if it for one moment thought of appealing to the country at the present time."

Sir Thomas declared that if a national Liberal-Conservative party was formed from the old Conservative party and the Liberals who joined the Unionists cause, who thought alike on fiscal questions Sir Robert Borden would sweep the country.

PENSION STATEMENT IS MISUNDERSTOOD

OTTAWA, March 8.—A report in circulation to the effect that Canadian pensioners are to receive additional payments out of Canada's portion of the war indemnity when this is received from the Central Powers was emphatically denied by the Board of Pension Commissioners today.

The board states that the report is probably based on a misconception regarding the claims Canada will make on Germany through the Imperial Government in regard to the liability she has already incurred on account of war pensions. The board is now preparing data on which to base their claim which it is said is solely in respect of Canada's pension bill. A circular sent out by the board recently asking pensioners for such data may have given rise to the report that an additional pension would be forthcoming out of the war indemnity.

Sugar Price Drops

SAN FRANCISCO, March 8.—Cane sugar dropped from 15 to 14 cents wholesale on the market here today, due to large Cuban receipts in the New York market, according to an announcement from the refineries.

President Takes Auto Ride

WASHINGTON, March 8.—President Wilson went riding today in an open automobile. He was accompanied by Mrs. Wilson, Rear-Admiral Grayson and Wilmer Bolling, Mrs. Wilson's brother.

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HONDURANS FIGHT IN PARLIAMENT

Five Deputies Killed and Others Wounded in Exchange of Shots Following Attack on Government

MEXICO CITY, March 8.—Members of the Honduran Congress of Deputies engaged in a pitched battle during the third week of February, there being 20 killed and wounded, according to private advices reaching this city from Tegucigalpa and published in El Universal today. Among those killed was Dr. Romulo E. Duron, president of the congress. It is stated the fight has resulted in a new revolution led by General Tiburcio Garcia against the Guiterrez government.

Since last July the Honduran Congress has been the scene of bitter opposition by the enemies of General Luis Lopez Gite Lopez Guiterrez, the new governmental leader. At the time of the Guiterrez revolt the United States intervened and suggested negotiations between the contending forces.

Opposition to the government became so powerful that the Guiterrez government was threatened, and during a session of the congress, three weeks ago, Dr. Venelco Callejas delivered a strong speech against Guiterrez. Enraged at this attack, an adherent of Guiterrez shot and killed Dr. Callejas. Then followed a battle in the chamber between members of the body and followers of the president, who, for the most part, were soldiers. In addition to President Duron, three leading members of the opposition party who had not taken part in the fighting were killed.

It is stated the rebels have taken refuge near the Nicaraguan border. The recipient of the news, whose name is not given by El Universal, is said to be a former Honduran journalist in close touch with conditions in that country.

WEST INDIA ISLANDS ARE NOT FOR SALE

LONDON, March 8.—Premier Lloyd George, replying to questions in the House of Commons today regarding the suggestion that the West Indies be transfered to the United States in payment of part of the British war debt to that country, stated that there was not the slightest intention on the part of the British government to barter or sell any part of the British West Indies.

The Premier declared that the inhabitants of the West Indies were loyally attached to the crown and intensely proud of their membership in the Empire.



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TURKS MUST GET NEEDED LESSON

Allies Promptly Take Measures to Show Sultan and His People That Force Will Be Used if Called For

LONDON, March 8.—Premier Lloyd George announced in the House of Commons today that prompt measures had been taken by the French Government to send reinforcements to General Gouraud, commander-in-chief of the French forces in the east, for the purpose of re-establishing his position and preventing further attacks on Armenians.

Mr. Lloyd George made this statement in answer to questions regarding measures taken for the protection of the Armenians. He also said that French ships had been sent to Mersina.

Regarding Constantinople, the Premier said identical instructions for immediate, drastic action had been dispatched to the Allied representatives there, who were acting in complete accord. It would be inadvisable, he added, to disclose these instructions until a reply had been received.

While definite news of Allied occupation of Constantinople is still awaited, it is stated in some quarters that this operation is rendered all the more inevitable owing to information that Mustapha Kemal Pasha, the Turkish Nationalist leader, is strengthening his forces in Asia Minor, and that Turkish bands are concentrating in Eastern Thrace in contravention of the terms of the armistice.

Actually Occupied

PARIS, March 8.—Constantinople is actually occupied by Allied troops, under provisions of the armistice, it is pointed out by The Petit Parisien this morning, which says the city is the headquarters of General Franchet d'Esperey, and there are in the city one division and one brigade of French troops, or about 15,000 men, and in addition there are in Constantinople, one regiment of Italian troops and British forces in the region of the Straits. A British division is spread over Anatolia between Scutari and Brusa, while the French have a division in Western Thrace, the newspaper says.

The Turkish Government has agreed with the French authorities that Marash should be reoccupied by French troops, according to a Constantinople dispatch to The Temps. The Temps adds that information had been received in Paris to the effect that calm seems to have been re-established in Cilicia.

French losses in Cilicia from the end of January to February 15, which includes the period during which disorders occurred at Marash, were 158 killed, 279 wounded and 181 missing, according to The Temps. Losses of French regulars and native troops are included in these figures.

Turks Need Lesson

LONDON, March 8.—Some reinforcements for the Allied troops in Turkey arrived on the scene last week, and more will follow. The weather conditions in Cilicia are unfavorable at present for the starting of a new military operation, but the Allies agree that it is absolutely necessary for the French to retrieve quickly and at any cost their recent losses in Cilicia, as the view in conference circles is that the Turks undoubtedly think the Allies are tired of fighting, and that their notes and warnings have little backing.

As outlined, the plan is to show the Sultan that this is not the case, no matter how distasteful further military activities may be now to any of the Allies.

What the conference really would like, according to the reports of statements at meetings here, is for the United States to augment her naval forces in Turkish waters, but there seems to be little expectation that this can be brought about.

Although the Premiers are not attending the sessions just now, the peace conference, as it is now constituted, has full powers to rearrange the outline of the Turkish treaty within a fortnight, but the conferees are not planning to hurry with the document, now that the reports of massacres have been confirmed. Their attitude is that the Turks must conform to the European interpretation of civilized government before any treaty shall be handed to them.

American Opinion

LONDON, March 8.—Commenting upon unconfirmed reports that British troops and seamen have actually occupied Constantinople, The London Times says this morning:

"Cardinal Gibbons, James W. Gerard, former American Ambassador at Berlin, and other notable Americans demand that the Turk be expelled from Constantinople, and that Armenia, from Ararat to the sea, be given the fullest autonomy. This manifestation of the best American opinion will be exceedingly welcome to the Allies, but we do not observe that it contains any proposal for American assistance in carrying out the policy which is approved. Allied peoples will not hear of schemes which involve the sacrifice of money and blood, except for objects which constrain them to communities or tribes, and international concession hunters are now very active in plans for carving up Asiatic Turkey according to their own desires."

STATE INSURANCE FOR DISABLED MEN

WINNIPEG, March 8.—A bill providing for state insurance for veterans of the great war who are unable to take out insurance in private companies because of their physical condition as a result of wounds, is being drafted and will be submitted to the present session of parliament, according to a message which has been received by the Dominion secretary of the Army and Navy Veterans' Association here.

In reply to other representations, notice also has been received from Ottawa that instructions have been issued to all military districts that men for discharge be given 15 days' notice of light duty with pay and allowances over and above the gratuity pay in lieu of leave of absence.

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Bela Kun in Austria

PARIS, March 8.—Bela Kun is still in custody in Austria. A short time ago an attempt was made by 10 Hungarian officers to release him, but it was foiled.

Storm in Nova Scotia

HALIFAX, March 8.—The City of Halifax was swept by a 50-mile gale on Saturday night and early on Sunday, but no serious damage was done. The steamer Northland, with a large passenger list and a full cargo of freight, was held in port at Yarmouth until the storm abated.

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PRESIDENT HOLDS TO MEMORANDUM

Will Not Agree to Withdrawal of Adriatic Arrangement of December 9, and Rejects Treaty of London

WASHINGTON, March 8.—While expressing satisfaction at the unaltered desire of the Allied leaders to reach "an equitable solution," President Wilson in his last note to the French and British premiers accepts with reservations the proposal that Italy and Jugo-Slavia themselves be permitted to settle the Adriatic dispute. The text was made public last night.

Though the President refused to agree to a withdrawal of the British-French-American memorandum of December 9, he indicated his unalterable opposition to the execution of the terms of the Treaty of London, except in so far as the United States Government "may be convinced that those terms are intrinsically just and are consistent with the maintenance of peace and settled order in Southeastern Europe." Part of the reply reads:

Insists on Memorandum

The President is surprised that they (the Allies) should find in the statement of his own willingness to leave to the joint agreement of Italy and Jugo-Slavia the settlement of their common frontiers in the Fiume region any ground for suggesting the withdrawal of the joint memorandum of December 9. In this he could not possibly join. The memorandum presented deliberate and disinterested judgment after months of earnest discussion. It constituted more than a mere exchange of views; it was a statement of principles and a recapitulation of the chief points upon which agreement had been reached.

"There was thus afforded a summary review of these points of agreement of the French, British and American governments, and the memorandum should remain as it was intended to be, the basis of reference representing the combined opinion of the governments.

Question of Buffer State

"In referring to the common frontier in the Fiume region, the President had in mind the expressed desire for the two interested governments to abandon the project of the free state of Fiume as defined in the memorandum of December 9. If, as he understands, the Government of Italy and the Government of the Serb-Croat-Slovene state prefer to abandon the so-called buffer state, containing an overwhelming majority of Slavs, and desire to limit the proposed free state to the corpus separatum of Fiume, placing the sovereignty in the League of Nations without either Italian or Jugo-Slav control, then the Government of the United States is prepared to accept the proposal and is willing under such circumstances to leave the determination of the common frontier to Italy and Jugo-Slavia. In this connection the President desires to reiterate that he would gladly approve a mutual agreement between the Italian and Jugo-Slav governments reached without prejudice to the territorial or other interests of any third nation, but Albanian questions should not be included in the proposed joint discussion of Italy and Jugo-Slavia, and the President confirms that he can not possibly approve any plan which assigns to Jugo-Slavia, in the northern district of Albania territorial compensation for what she is deprived of elsewhere.

"Concerning the economic outlets for Jugo-Slavia in the region of Scutari, suggested in the note under reply, the President desires to refer to the memorandum of December 9 as making adequate provisions to meet the needs of Jugo-Slavia."

Two Trail Boys Drowned

NELSON, B. C., March 8.—Brandon Hazelwood and Harold Begein were drowned in the Columbia River at Trail on Sunday and two other boys, A. Stiff and V. Matthews, narrowly escaped their fate, as the result of playing hockey. Hazelwood followed the puck out to the thin ice and went through, and the other three boys attempted to rescue and also broke through. Stiff and Matthews crawled out, and the bodies of their companions were secured an hour later.

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HUNDRED ARMED MEN ATTACK BARRACKS

LIMERICK, Ireland, March 8.—One hundred men armed with rifles and high explosives made an attack on police barracks at Doon, near here, at noon yesterday. The police resisted with rifles and hand grenades, and the attackers finally withdrew. None of the police were injured.

DUBLIN, March 8. — The Government has instituted an inquiry under the Crimes Act of 1887 regarding the relations of certain Irish banks with the Sinn Fein. The object of the inquiry is to ascertain the amount and location of Sinn Fein funds and especially, it is said, of recent large sums received from the United States.

Persia Seeks Redress

LONDON, March 8.—Persia's case will be laid before the Supreme Allied Council by the Persian Foreign Minister, according to The London Times. Persia desires reparation for the losses she suffered during the war from Turkey, and urges rectification of her frontier and some territorial adjustments necessary to end the long-standing differences between her and Turkey, especially regarding Kurdistan.

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ADVISES ULSTER TO ACCEPT BILL

Sir Edward Carson's Opinion Expressed in Address to Council—Expected to Have Strong Influence

LONDON, March 8.—In addressing the Ulster Unionist Council last Friday, Sir Edward Carson, the Ulster Unionist leader, recommended that Ulster abandon its opposition to the Irish Home Rule Bill and accept the bill now before parliament, says The Daily Mail today.

The newspaper describes this as the most important development in the Irish situation in many years, and says it is bound to have a profound and far-reaching effect.

After the meeting Sir Edward and the other delegates returned to their respective districts to consult the local associations on the decision, which is to be taken at another meeting of the council to be held in Belfast next Wednesday.

"In view of the leader's advice," The Daily Mail continues, "it is hoped the new bill will be accepted substantially by Ulster, but it is possible the council will recommend the inclusion of the whole of the province in the area of the northern parliament, instead of six counties."

Sir Edward said he believed any form of home rule was bad for the country, but it must be remembered that the Home Rule Act of 1914 was on the statute books and that unless an amending measure was passed it would automatically come into force the day peace was officially declared, and then Ulster would be placed under the control of the Dublin Parliament.

He said he did not wish to influence their opinion, and if they decided to reject the new bill he would oppose it, and he believed that it could be defeated. They could organize their forces and call up volunteers again, but the new bill offered to secure them from being forced under the domination of Dublin, and thus the main aim of their covenant had been achieved. He said he believed nothing was to be gained by an Irish irreconcilable attitude.

GERMANS ATTACK FRENCH OFFICERS

Prince Joachim Albrecht and Party Make Display of Viciousness in Adlon Hotel—Authorities Take Action

BERLIN, March 7.—The fashionable Adlon Hotel dining room was the scene of a rough-and-tumble fight last night between Prince Joachim Albrecht of Prussia, a cousin of the former Kaiser, and his guests, and Captains Klein and Roughevin and Madame Klein, members of the French mission. The hostilities were due to the French people refusing to stand while the orchestra was playing "Deutschland Uber Alles."

Joachim and his friends hurled candles, crockery and other things at the French party, and Captain Roughevin was beaten and had his clothes torn. Captain Klein was escorted out of the dining room by waiters who defended him.

BERLIN, March 8.—According to the newspapers, the French charge d'affaires and General Nollet, chief of the French military mission in Berlin, had a conversation with the Foreign Minister today regarding the Hotel Adlon incident. The Foreign Minister is said to have expressed his regret and promised that the culprits would be punished.

It is added that a high Foreign Office official today visited Captain Klein, one of the French party in the hotel, to inquire as to his condition. Prince Joachim Albrecht is said to be under arrest.

V. C. Winner Charged With Theft

VANCOUVER, March 8.—Chased through the Colonial Theatre and over the roof, and concluding his attempt to escape by a sensational slide down a guy chain on the theatre canopy, James Burke Hyndman, returned soldier and winner of the Victoria Cross, was arrested by the police on Sunday for the alleged theft of $1,500 worth of jewelry from the Pickering store.

Skeletons of Missing Men

RHEIMS, March 8.—Nearly 100 skeletons of those who are on the great list of "missing" in the war have been located a few miles from here in the advanced trenches near the canal lock of Sapigneule. The bleached bones were found in shell craters and also in territory which was left unscarred by the great German shells, but where the thick underbrush had hidden them from view.

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Tale of Horror Sent From Siberia by British Officers—Many Refugees Perish on Black Sea Vessel

LONDON, March 8.—A party of British officers arriving at Harbin from Omsk and Chita declare that their experiences west of Irkutsk excel all other previous horrors, says the London Times Harbin, Manchuria, correspondent in a communication dated February 19. Piles of naked and frozen bodies of men, women and children were stacked at every station, the correspondent quotes the officers as saying. The Czechs took the engines from the hospital trains, leaving the sick to perish from cold and hunger, he adds.

Irkutsk, the recent seat of the Koltchak government, which was seized last month by insurrectionists who later executed Admiral Koltchak, is now in the hands of the Bolshevik regulars, troops of the Red army having entered the town, it is announced in a wireless dispatch from Moscow. Several members of the former Koltchak ministry and many active counter-revolutionaries who were imprisoned in Irkutsk are being transferred to Omsk, where they will be delivered to the judgment of a revolutionary tribunal, the dispatch adds.

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 8.—Death pursued 800 refugees, who fled from Novorossisk on the steamer Navajo at the approach of Russian Soviet forces, after many had died of disease, cold and starvation. The craft arrived here with emaciated and starving passengers.

Eighteen hours after leaving port the vessel, which had been chartered by the American Red Cross to bring the fugitives out of Southern Russia, was struck by a blizzard, which for two days prevented the ship from making headway. Food and coal supplies were all consumed. For four days the Navajo drifted in the Black sea, while a hurricane raged.

Typhus then appeared on board, and the refugees saw the bodies of scores consigned to the waters. At last another refugee ship picked up the Navajo. Hundreds of the passengers arrived here with hands and feet frozen.

RED CROSS WORK WILL HELP MANY

Chairman Davison's Review of Actions Taken at League Meeting in Geneva—More Relief for Europeans

GENEVA, March 8. — Child life throughout the world will be profoundly affected by the work initiated at the congress of the League of Red Cross Societies held here during the past week, said Henry P. Davison, chairman of the board of governors of the league, in discussing the meeting with the Associated Press. In addition the plans for fighting tuberculosis, malaria and other diseases which have been considered will greatly benefit the peoples of many lands, he said.

"This first general conference has been satisfactory," said Mr. Davison. "Delegates from all over the world, vital and important people in their own countries, have come to know each other and have gained a comprehensive view of what is being done and what may be done.

"The congress has agreed upon a campaign for child welfare, which, in our judgment, will profoundly affect the health and care of mothers throughout the world. I assume this plan for child welfare will become immediately effective everywhere when once it begins to be applied.

"One thing which has been grasped, and which, I am sure, will have practical results, is public health nursing in connection with industrial problems, school life, tuberculosis, maternity and social service. This calling will bring out in women taking it up the finest qualities of enthusiasm, intelligence, devotion and forcefulness."

Acting upon an appeal by Arthur J. Balfour, as president of the council of the League of Nations, the board of governors of the league of Red Cross Societies in session here yesterday passed resolutions declaring for the extension of voluntary relief work among the starving and diseased populations of Central and Eastern Europe, provided that the essentials of food, clothing and transportation be previously assured these peoples through government action.

Lady Drummond of Canada, speaking in the organization section, said that the future duty of the Red Cross throughout the world would be to supply the moral equivalent for war; it would assume a moral, as well as a physical educator's professorship. Canada, she said, was the first country to follow the American example of organizing a junior Red Cross, which had been such a powerful factor in the development of the Red Cross in America.

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Mexican Rebel Executed

AGUA PRIETA, Mex., March 8.—Major Pierce, a notorious rebel leader, has been executed by Carranza troops, according to advices to the military commander today.

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Kiel Plans Free Port

BERLIN, March 8.—The city of Kiel, no longer a naval base, is planning construction of a free port on the Wiker Bay, north of the main town, taking the town of Hamburg as a pattern.

New Czar Proclaimed

LONDON, March 8.—Proclamation of a new Czar in the Trans-Caspian province is reported in a wireless dispatch received here from Moscow.

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ROOT OF GREATEST EVIL

Love of money has been described as the root of all evil. But there is a human passion of more frightful mien than greed for the accumulation of gold. It is envy. It is bad enough for men and women in ordinary walks of life to envy the prosperity of their neighbors, to grudge them their fine motor cars and their big houses and expensive dresses, but when men in high positions become green with envy, then the possibilities of evil for humanity are almost boundless.

Consider the case of the man of Germany as an example. Wilhelm Hohenzollern was a victim of this unhallowed vice from the days of early youth. He was so eager for pomp and power that he lusted after the throne of his ancestors and displayed impatience because his own father, stricken with a mortal disease, seemed too long in dying. He subjected his mother to cruel and unjust treatment because she resented his unfilial conduct. On the very day of his ascent of the throne a newspaper man of long experience, a wise judge of human character, sent to Germany for the purpose of describing the coronation, predicted trouble for the world during the reign of the last of the Hohenzollern kings. The prophecy was not fulfilled during the lifetime of the prophet, because councillors surrounded the young man and held his rapacious ambitions in leash for a time. Bismarck was unscrupulous and ambitious for the aggrandizement of the Fatherland, but he was discreet, knew the limits of Germany's capacity and appreciated the powers for resistance of her neighbors. Wilhelm fumed and raged inwardly at the restraints imposed upon him, and the passions which surged within his breast were depicted upon his countenance. He finally cast his pilot overboard, took the wheel of the ship of state in his own hands and steered her into the shoals where she now lies a battered hulk. Envy was the ruling passion with him. He was jealous of the position and power of Britain, and as soon as he had disposed of his Iron Chancellor he surrounded himself with councillors of his own selection, set before Germany the task of creating a navy which he believed would make him the ruler of the seas, as he was the acknowledged military lord paramount of the world.

He reviewed his mighty armies and his powerful navy and his heart became consumed with impatience because it was hard to find an excuse for getting them into action. The dream of world power was slow of realization, notwithstanding that he repeatedly bullied his neighbors almost beyond the point of human endurance. Finally, fearing that the span of his little life might be completed and the work he had had in view all along might not be accomplished, Wilhelm and his war lords engineered the conspiracy, in connivance with their tools in Austria, which precipitated the long-meditated war. It has been fought. Germany lies prone in the dust, and her Supreme War Lord, Emperor of Europe, Admiral of the Atlantic, is a fugitive in Holland, "unwept, unhonored and unsung." There he probably will spend the remainder of his days, practically caged in like the wild beast he has proved himself to be.

Britain, which he envied and hated, still rules the waves. Her flag flies as of ancient days in every sea. Her merchant marine soon will be as powerful as it ever was, with every prospect of becoming yet more aggressive in carrying and pushing business in all quarters of the world. France is arising, inspired and reinvigorated in the knowledge that the enemy which laid in wait at her gates has been subdued in a cause which history will record as eminently just.

But the evil passion of envy has not been permanently driven forth from the world with the downfall of the worst example of it mankind ever has seen. The prediction has been made that wars are not at an end, although the consequences of them have been terribly illustrated in the conflict precipitated by Wilhelm Hohenzollern. However, if other wars are to be, rest assured that they will be found to have their genesis in envy, the most dangerous and the most destructive of all human passions.

FARMERS' PLAINT

The farmer, now that he is united, is becoming such a powerful force in the land that it is a daring thing, perhaps, to point out that even he is sometimes inconsistent when a comparison is made of his policies. Everybody remembers what a dust he raised on the Prairies when the Government set a price upon his wheat. That arouses his class-consciousness at once, and he maintained that an injustice was being practised upon him, inasmuch as the price of wheat in the open market, and particularly in the United States, was much higher than the price set by the agency which acted for the Government. Now lumber has become scarce and dear upon the Prairies, because, it is alleged, it can be sold at higher prices in the United States. This creates a grievance against British Columbia, which produces the best lumber that can be obtained today and is practically the only place left in the world where it can be obtained in large quantities. Commenting upon the grievance thus set up, The Ottawa Journal says:

"It is one thing to sell wheat in the dearest market, but as for lumber—well, that's different. And so the Free Trade West—so-called—raises a deuce of a row. It comes down to the Board of Commerce, and it gets purple in the face and it shouts: 'See, here, what's the Government going to do about this glaring injustice? The West wants lumber. It wants it for its settlers. We thought it was the policy of the Government to encourage settlers on the Prairies, but instead of that it is permitting something which makes settlement impossible.' And so on and so forth. And the poor Government, which is accused of being nothing but a hack for Protectionists, and which thinks the West is a roaring sea of Free Trade, is bewildered."

THE FIRST PAIR OF TROUSERS

The little children who have written so interestingly and with considerable evidence of latent talent to the Editor of the Children's Page of The Colonist on the charming picture that appeared in a recent issue perceived much that is hidden from the ordinary eye in that inspired work. But if they are all spared in the goodness of Providence to reach the years of matronhood a companion picture to the one published will present itself in their mind's eye. In this phantom picture they will see that mother following that little boy who rejoices in his first pair of trousers to the door of their little house and gazing wistfully after him as he goes forth to display himself in his glad raiment to his little companions. Although vigorous in health and robust in mind, The Colonist has lived many years, and it has had some experience with mothers. They are all very much the same in sentiment respecting their children. They all would like them to be like Peter Pan, the winsome little elf "who never grew up." But Peter was a child of the imagination of Sir James Barrie, the most gifted of all story-tellers, who has no children of his own, but loves them all so well that he had to create a dream child to satisfy the cravings of his heart and to charm multitudes of readers and playgoers. So the picture-mother knows that her little boy, being a sturdy little chap, with a will of his own beginning to develop, soon must pass from her and take his destined place in the world to which she is denied access. There is a pathetic side to this dream picture which develops in the natural and ordered course of events from the drawing of the boy and his mother in the real picture.

It is now proposed to restrict motor car drivers of Vancouver to a speed of four miles an hour on the streets of the busy sections of the city. That would be a snail's pace indeed for a population that is always bursting with suppressed energy and ready to blow up when restrained in any respect, even in the matter of coveting things that are the acknowledged properties of neighbors. Still, there have been so many accidents of late in the ambitious city that it is felt something must be done for the protection of the people who merely walk and conduct their business in a slothful, leisurely way. Looking at the matter from an abstract standpoint, we should say if people will persist in obstructing the speedy transaction of business they should be highly agreeable to accepting the consequences.

The manufacture of chemical fertilisers is a prosaic business. There is nothing romantic or mysterious about it. In order to get results from the soil certain ingredients must be put into it in accordance with the properties that may be lacking. Crops cannot be produced by any alchemical processes. So with reference to the article published in Sunday's Colonist dealing with the discoveries of the Lignite Company which is producing and marketing a chemical fertiliser which is said to possess certain values, claims which may be quite justifiable, the public would be well advised to thoroughly investigate the matter and to consult chemical authorities before placing their trust absolutely in the powers of the discovery.

Now it is the turn of the ouija board that man has created and set up to breed mischief in the world. A number of people in the United States have been so wrought up by the alleged revelations of this simple (and shall we say foolish?) contrivance that they have lost their reason and have been committed to asylums. There is nothing for it but a crusade against this contrivance of the evil one, or whoever it may be that causes the triangle to triangulate. If no other uplifter can be found, we shall be compelled to ask some of our local talent to step into the breach.

The discussion between Premier Oliver and Mr. Hanes may not have been very profitable as far as shedding light on the affairs of the P.G.E.R. is concerned, but it provided amusement for a goodly number of people who ordinarily are in the habit of patronizing the "movies," and that is something achieved.

There is a city employee in Portland who has saved the municipality one hundred thousand dollars in the course of one short year. This prodigy is in the street cleaning department. It might be worth while for the Victoria City Council to take a special trip to Portland just to find out how the man does it.

Now that influenza has done its worst and gone its way, it appears this continent is to be subjected to a new menace from that seat of all diseases, Europe. Typhus fever, bubonic plague and sleeping sickness are reported on their way.

President Wilson has accepted another proposal of the Allies, but with reservations. That word "reservations" is beginning to create irritation. Why not substitute something just as good in its stead?

A special dispatch to the American press says France fears a British plot to seize Constantinople. France has no such fear and no one in France ever expressed such fear.

Georges Carpentier, the boxing champion, has signed an engagement which will not admit of the presence of any third party in the ring.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception.

Shipbuilding

Sir,—I was approached by the directors of the Victoria Shipowners, Limited, to lend my efforts in securing the remaining $97,000 from Chinatown in order to make it possible to proceed immediately with the building of the four ships, which would give considerable relief to the labor situation here. I understood that my name was given to them by Mr. Talling, probably because of the results obtained in the last Victory Loan campaign.

I have been watching the very slow progress which has apparently been made by the City of Victoria in taking up the shares of this industry and I have been surprised, as I should have thought that the wholesalers' and retailers' associations and other organizations and "debating societies" would have lost no time in putting an industry on its feet which would have meant not only the relieving of a good deal of unemployment, but would have put our lumber export business on firmer foundations and kept things going.

Of the $1,000,000 to be spent in building the four ships, I think it may safely be estimated that $700,000 would be spent in this city, and this money would finally find its way into the retailers' and wholesalers' pockets. Why, then, are they so tardy in coming forward that the Victoria Shipowners, Limited, have to approach Chinatown? Is there no red blood in this city, and is everybody so busy attending to academical questions that no one has had time to think of practical enterprise? British Columbia needs, not four ships, but forty ships, but apparently the four ships may fall down because of a want of only a matter of $90,000 or so. Where are the city fathers, and what have they been doing? I know they have been discussing Imperial preference and other Dominion subjects, but why not devote more attention to something which would have relieved the city of a good deal of responsibility in finding work for the unemployed?

I am sorry that I have had to tell the directors that while I have every sympathy with the project, I have not the cheek to approach the Chinese, for what do they stand to get out of it? They pay taxes on property and on their business, and full road tax, but they are not allowed on the voters' list, so that they have no say as to how their money should be spent. Although part of the pay of the aldermen comes from the Chinese, we have had aldermen who get up and object when a few small stores are opened by Chinese. Pressure has been brought to bear on the various employers who employ Chinese to dismiss them, for no fault of theirs, but simply to replace them by someone else. No one cares if they (the Chinese) are unemployed, notwithstanding that, when we take their $50 head tax upon entry they are given to understand that British justice and fairplay would be theirs. Although they pay the same contribution to the Workmen's Compensation Act, their contribution buys a smaller return than the white man. (I have this on the authority of the Attorney-General, who spoke before the Legislature). Although we issue to them a written document guaranteeing to them "all political and other rights," they have been disfranchised from no other reason than that we feel that we can dishonor our "scrap of paper" with impunity. At every turn they have been discriminated against—so much for British justice and fairplay—and yet I am requested to approach them to take up shares in a concern which will be compelled to discriminate against them in that no Chinese would be allowed to work at the yards. I am afraid I have not such colossal cheek.

As a matter of fact, seeing how tardily Victorians have been coming forward in support of this essentially Victorian enterprise, I have sounded the Chinese on their feeling by taking shares, some few days ago, and I am authorized to issue this challenge, which is as follows:

"If the white population of Victoria think so little of the welfare and progress of Victoria as to be reluctant to support this Victorian industry, notwithstanding that they enjoy all the privileges and rights of citizenship, and if they have so little enterprise in them that they are afraid to risk a matter of $1 per individual in support of a concern which will give employment to about 1,000 people, the Chinese will undertake to take up at least $30,000 of this $80,000 still not taken up, provided that they are given full rights of citizenship and all discriminating laws against them (direct or indirect) are repealed. The amount of $30,000 is fixed on the basis that the Chinese represent a tenth of the population."

My experience of the Chinese has been that where they are trusted wit hfairness and given full citizenship rights like any other citizen, they have never been found wanting in public spirit or enterprise, and I am prepared to back them in this city.

It must, however, be clearly understood that they are not making this challenge by way of indirectly buying their rights, which should have been given to them, if there is a grain of British justice and fairplay amongst those who control this Province and city. They are making this offer as an earnest of how they regard the privileges of citizenship and to what extent they identify themselves with the country and city.

To those who have always vilified the Chinese, who have in the aldermen's council as well as out of it, and in the Provincial Legislature as well as out of it, pointed to these people as undesirable citizens, I have this message to give: Come forward yourselves and take up the shares of this Victoria Shipowners, Limited, so as to enable this company to start work and give some relief to the unemployment, or else stand aside and give way to others who have enough public spirit and enterprise not to be afraid to risk their money for the building up of this city.

Yours, etc.,
H. HASTINGS.
223 Sayward Building, Victoria, B.C., March 4, 1920.

Cattle Insurance

Sir,—I was glad to see your leader on the above subject and also Messrs. Raper and Hillis' letter outlining the scheme to provide funds necessary for increased compensation.

Whilst heartily supporting the scheme, I wish to point to the misleading figures in the proposal. It was stated by the Minister of Agriculture that slightly over 12,000 dairy cattle were tested last year and of that number 548 reacted. Therefore if no more cattle than were tested last year are to be tested in the future, then the sum required to raise the so-called compensation by $50 per cow (omitting entirely the registered stock) would be $26,150.

You will notice that, according to the tables furnished by Messrs. Raper and Hillis, that after eliminating calves there remains 76,430 cattle to be tested. Last year's losses were slightly over 4 per cent, and there seems no possibility of getting beyond this minimum, Denmark, with the closest test of any country, being, I believe, slightly under 4 per cent. Thus if an absolute test were instituted, there would be 3,057 cattle to be slaughtered, and this at $100 per head would require a sum of $305,700.

You will notice the figures in Mr. Raper's tables do not make any allowance for the actual cost of testing the whole of the cattle. I have been endeavoring for the last six years to obtain the publication of the actual figures relating to the tuberculin test. Seeing that we have a real live Minister of Agriculture, we may possibly get them now.

Before any scheme can be formed in agreement with the dairymen it is absolutely necessary to have the following information for the years 1913 to date, namely, the number of cattle tested each year, the number reacting, the net amount paid by the Government as so-called compensation, i.e., the difference between the sum received for the carcase (I believe on an average about $30) and the total amount paid to the farmers, and also the sum set aside out of the Government funds to cover both the testing and the compensation. It is very evident that a subscription of 50c per head cannot meet an average of 4 per cent loss. Thus a man with fifty head would subscribe $25 and the average increased compensation to be paid would be $100. Also note that the farmers collectively would be called upon to insure 76,430 cattle at 50c per head, i.e., $38,215, and in addition to this would be called upon to bear a net loss of $305,700, making the cost of a complete test to the farmer of $343,915.

Whilst the test is invaluable to the stock breeders and large dairymen like Mr. Raper, who is an expert, and maintains a rigid inspection of his cattle, it is evident that the smaller farmers and dairymen are not expert enough to keep their herd free of tuberculosis. Take a recent local case where one man lost twelve cows out of thirteen. The unfortunate owner, taking the average dairy cow today at, say, $200 value, in this case loses $2,040 net and the Government gives to him $240 as compensation (sic).

I submit the farmers and dairymen are entitled to compensation in the fullest sense on the following grounds:

1. The Government is only testing approximately 14 per cent of the cattle of the Province.
2. The test is not infallible, as about 7 per cent of the cattle reacting do not show any symptoms of tuberculosis on post mortem examination, and of those passed by the test 7 per cent are tubercular.
3. The present method of tagging the cows is not a very good protection to the purchaser.
4. The present amount of compensation is serious where the loss on test runs over 20 per cent.
5. The present maximum of $50 was based on the price of cattle when they were half the cost they are today.

PERCY FOX.
8 Brown Block, Victoria, B.C., March 4, 1920.

Prohibition

Sir:—Prohibition! Why prohibit anything? The term "Prohibition" conveys to the mind of the writer a picture of absolute despotism—a visualization of the idea of rule by club. And whence do the great protagonists of Prohibition derive the right to demand that we shall have this and that we shall not have that? I say "protagonists of Prohibition" advisedly, for the great majority of their followers are prohibitionists merely because some few persons whom they consider great are Prohibitionists. Such is the ape-like tendency which predominates in a certain stratum of our society.

We hear nowadays a lot about the evil of drink and about the abundance of good that shall come when the demon rum and all his satellites shall have been banished from the land. We are from time to time regaled with the most alluring word pictures of the beautiful state that shall prevail when once we have driven John Barleycorn from our midst. Utopian ideals! Ideals worth any price or any sacrifice if they were possible of attainment. But are they? "The lion and the lamb shall lie down together," is a beautiful prospect to contemplate; but the promise is heavily discounted when we recall that in the only known instances of the lion and the lamb lying down together the lamb has always been safely tucked away within the lion. And thus, I fear, it will ever be, Prohibition notwithstanding.

Our present experience and the history of all time teach us that there is good in everything, and that evil exists only in the mind of man. "Honi soit qui mal y pense" is today as pointed a phrase as it was when first coined by King Edward the Third, some six centuries ago. It follows, therefore, that the destruction or abolition of anything can render us no more virtuous than we were. Prohibitionists and all reformers and uplifters would do well to leave material things alone and direct their talents and energies to the education of the public. And let me state here that by education I do not mean the three R's and what is thereby implied, but that higher ethical instruction which shall show us how to make the most of the good that is in us and how best to restrain the tendencies to excesses which, if freely indulged, must inevitably lead to ruin.

We are the potential masters of all material things, but before we can become masters of anything we must first be masters of ourselves; and the highest degree of self-control can be attained only by the most rigid self-denial and self-restraint in the face of the many temptations that surround us. It is not at all bad for us to be tempted, for it is by the constant suppression of our evil impulses that true strength of character is builded. "We have met the enemy, and, though strong, we defeated him" is a proud and worthy boast; but there can be no glory in a victory where there is no enemy.

Negative virtues are of little value in this life. The man who never erred, simply because he never had an opportunity to do wrong, is always an unknown quantity—a sort of hothouse specimen which looks well in the conservatory, but which is most likely to wither and die if exposed to the rigors of the outer world.

Life, from the cradle to the grave, is one long succession of snares and pitfalls for the unwary, and no human agency can completely remove them. But much can be done in the way of rendering us immune to temptation; and this is the task to which all reformers should apply themselves. Let them not go about denouncing this thing or that thing as being evil, for such is not the case. Things are evil only in so far as we put them to evil uses, and it is only by bravely facing and combating the dangers that beset us that we can rise superior to conditions and eventually become the true masters of circumstances.

In conclusion I beg to submit that in the last analysis it will be found that the man really worth while is not the man who has always been good by accident, but, rather, the man who has been tried and found not wanting—he who, like Gibraltar, can stand alone, unmoved and unafraid, while lashed on all sides by the waves of temptation.

L. CUMBERBATCH.
Vernon Chambers, March 5.

Push Shipbuilding

Sir:—From reading so much in your paper about the Victoria Shipowners Ltd., or Cholberg shipyards, I cannot very well help saying something about it. I worked in that yard for a year nearly from its commencement and will say that I never worked in a place I liked better. No bossing; no driving; no idling; every man knew what he had to do, and did it; no danger; no congestion of men; no accidents, or very few, which has been proved; no strikes except one of three days, and that was unavoidable; good management and efficiency of work, which has been demonstrated. So to our citizens I will say, don't let our city decline, which she looks just now like doing, and mind you, she's like an individual, when she starts going down she can go mighty quick, and where will you be then? So now rally to her aid.

HERBERT PHIPPS.
2625 Prior Street, 8th March, 1920.

To Welsh Residents

Sir:—Will you please allow me space in your valuable paper to draw the attention of the Welsh residents of this city and surrounding districts to the aims and objects of the Cymrodorion Society?

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I might add that the Society (which was founded in 1909), owing to war conditions and that so many of our young male members enlisted for overseas duty, had fallen almost into oblivion, but now that so many of the men have returned and have, in many cases, brought others with them, we are endeavoring to bring the society back to its old standard, and I would invite all Welsh people residents of the city and locality to join the society and make it the success it deserves to be.

I may add that all born in Wales or of Welsh descent are eligible for membership. Further announcements as to time and date of our next meeting will appear in the press.

A. PETCH,
President.
1904 Davie Street, March 4.

Seattle's Verdict

Sir:—An editorial in Friday's Colonist says: "The labor candidate for mayor in the recent Seattle election cut almost a pitiful figure. The figure is the more pitiful when it is remembered that Seattle boasts 60,000 members of labor unions. In other words, the labor candidate, representing organized labor, polled but half the organized labor vote. If we eliminate the few hundred capitalists in the electorate, we have 45,000 workers voting against the organized labor candidate. This simply means that thousands of workers who have been forced into labor unions against their choice take the opportunity of showing their resentment at the polls. A man may not have the spirit to assert himself when a "show of hands" is called for in a union meeting, but a secret ballot—nuff sed.

WALTER FOSTER.
Strawberry Vale P.O., March 5.

Death of Admiral Noel Grant

LONDON, March 8.—Rear-Admiral Noel Grant, who commanded the Cunarder Carmania, converted into a British auxiliary cruiser, when she engaged and sank the German armed merchantman Cap Trafalgar, off the east coast of South America, September 14, 1914, died Sunday, according to The London Times.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The British Colonist, of March 9, 1870)

Ottawa Dispatch—Waddington has arrived from England to press upon the attention of the Government the construction of a British Pacific Railroad. All the money required for the work can be had in London. Letters from Ottawa report a stirring debate in Parliament, in which one of the leaders of a party spoke in favor of a change of Government, independence or annexation. Huntington opposed annexation, but favored confederation as a good step towards independence.

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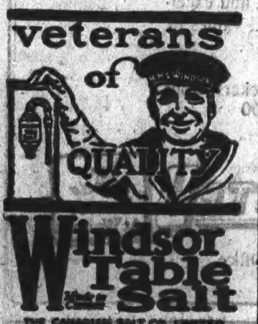
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LABOR ENDORSES RETURN OF CHARTER

B.C. Federation Formally Approves Action of Executive in Breaking With the International Body

By approving yesterday afternoon the report of Secretary A. S. Wells relating to the return of its charter to the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, the British Columbia Federation of Labor yesterday virtually declared for a permanent break with international trades unionism, and embraced the One Big Union principle of organization.

When Chairman W. H. Cottrell put the motion before the meeting at 5 o'clock, all but three of the thirty-eight delegates appeared to be in favor of it. Those who asked to be recorded as opposing the plan were Delegates Cowgill, Cleveland and Hoover.

Although the question was under discussion for more than an hour before a decision was reached, the result was never in doubt. The majority was quite plainly in support of the executive at all stages, and its hostility to the Trades and Labor Congress, the Canadian offshoot of the American Federation of Labor, was unmistakably evidence when someone discovered that Mr. Alf Farmilo, of Edmonton, was in the convention hall.

Just prior to the discovery several of the delegates, including Mr. Wells, had been talking about Mr. Farmilo. Mr. Farmilo is from Alberta, and an organizer of the American Federation of Labor, on close terms with Tom Moore and other leaders of the Congress. Last Fall Mr. Farmilo was delegated by the Congress to conduct an investigation into the affairs of the B.C. Federation after the Calgary convention had passed a resolution favoring the O.B.U. It was shortly after Mr. Farmilo's visit that the B.C. Federation returned its charter.

The Unbidden Guest

At yesterday's convention Mr. Farmilo seemed about as welcome as the flu. Just before his presence was announced one of the delegates had described him as "an ultra-scientific revolutionary" who lately had faded from red to pink.

Delegate Casey drew attention to Mr. Farmilo, sitting back near the door. He said he should have a chance to defend himself.

Immediately strong opposition was voiced. One delegate said the convention should not hear Mr. Farmilo until the motion to endorse the Wells report was dealt with. Another asked if Mr. Farmilo was an accredited delegate. A third wanted to know if Mr. Farmilo wanted to speak.

Through all this Mr. Farmilo sat silent. Finally the chairman asked him if he had anything to say, and he replied that he came only as a visitor and had no definite message. A few minutes later he was asking if delegates were referring to him when they said that certain men had been paid to connive at plots to break the back of labor radicalism and that such men should be taken by the scruff of the neck and kicked out somewhere.

Nothing Personal

Mr. Farmilo was assured that such talk was just generalities—nothing of a personal nature.

Most of the afternoon was devoted to a debate as to whether the executive of the B.C. Federation exceeded its powers when it returned the charter to the Congress. Delegates Cowgill, Hoover and Cleveland made most of the trouble for the majority.

The first question asked was by Delegate Cowgill.

"Is this a convention of the Federation of Labor or of the O.B.U.?" he inquired.

"This is the B.C. Federation of Labor and constituted practically the same as last year," replied Chairman Cottrell.

"We have returned our charter," returned Cowgill. "We are working under no charter. Is that the idea?"

"Yes."

Delegate Cameron, who acted as chairman of the executive committee when considering the report of Mr. Wells yesterday morning, reported to the convention that the executive had concurred in the whole of the document, with one or two minor exceptions.

Delegate Hoover referred to the large majority said to have been given in the referendum among the unions last year in favor of the six-hour day and a new form of organization. He wanted to know if this was fully a representative vote.

All Had Chance to Vote

Mr. Wells said everything possible had been done to ensure a large vote. Every union member had a chance to cast a ballot.

Delegate Hoover said he would not vote for the report if it was likely to head off a movement to bring the two hostile forces of labor together.

When the clause dealing with the return of the charter was taken up, Delegate Cowgill asked why the rank and file of labor was not given a chance to give its views. Was it because just a few wanted to put this over themselves?

Mr. Wells replied that the object sought by the Congress was to secure control of the federation's properties. He recalled the fact that following the Calgary convention the Congress denied the B.C. Federation representation in the Dominion body, and that it later passed an amendment to the constitution "aimed at the B.C. Federation" seeking power "where the interests of the movement would be better served to suspend officers of affiliated organizations and appoint a commission to take over the properties for a period not exceeding six months." Mr. Wells claimed the whole scheme was hatched up to gain control of the B.C. Federation, and he said the executive foresaw this, took no chances, and fired back the charter. If there had been a week's delay, Mr. Wells held, they would have been deposed.

Diplomatic, Not Democratic

"While this action of the executive might appear to be diplomatic, I can't see that it was democratic," declared Delegate Cleveland. "If the executive was so cocksure of the support of the rank and file, why didn't it go to them and ask for endorsement instead of waiting until now?"

He said it was disheartening to see such a small attendance, apparently not representative of labor in this Province, and he deplored that the workers were not taking the interest they should in their affairs.

Delegate Woods argued that had the executive failed to return the charter it would have been criticized far more.

Mr. Farmilo, in explaining his status when he interviewed Mr. Wells last Fall, said he had been sent out to ascertain the status of the Federation regarding the O.B.U. movement. The charter had been returned before he arrived.

The chairman asked why the constitutional amendment was adopted.

Mr. Farmilo said it was to protect the Congress against loss of its property in case outlaw organizations were formed to succeed bodies affiliated with the Congress. He said the action was not aimed at the B.C. Federation in particular. The Congress could have taken out an injunction to protect its property, he said, even after the charter was returned.

Delegate Sidaway then launched into a heated attack on certain men "who had openly connived with employers of labor to debar O.B.U. members from jobs." He said these men had chosen the psychological moment to do their work. There were some people whose minds were "wobbly," who would change their opinions for a few dollars and help spread propaganda against the radical element. These people, he alleged, were backed by funds, by the Government, the Trades and Labor Congress and by employers. It was a condition that could not be tolerated.

"We have got to show Mr. Farmilo and others that they can't get away with this any longer," pursued the delegate. He said that these men should be taken by the scruff of the neck, if necessary, and shown where they belonged.

Disrupt Radicalism

"There are men parading the streets today getting nine, ten and fifteen dollars a day who call good men scoundrels and try to disrupt and put back the labor movement twenty years."

Mr. Farmilo took the floor. "There have been several charges made here regarding myself about conniving and having sums of money," said Mr. Farmilo. "I would like the delegate to state definitely what he means, instead of making insinuations."

The chairman said Delegate Sidaway was just making a general statement.

Delegate Cowgill claimed to have taken down what Delegate Sidaway had said, and he warned that he had better be careful with his charges. "You talk about the intimidation of T. B. Roberts, the mine organizer, in the report, yet you would have us grab people by the scruff of the neck and deal with them that way," he declared.

"You cannot accept that statement as expressing the attitude of this convention," retorted the chairman.

Calls Action Premature

Delegate Hoover could not see why the returning of the charter could have saved the properties of the Federation. There must have been another reason for this action, he thought. "I think the action was premature," he said. "I think it was usurping the powers of the membership; the decision should have been left with the convention." He was amused to hear delegates criticize the Congress for endeavoring to protect its own property. "The fact is that we are confronted by a deplorable situation," he said.

Mr. Wells repeated that the federation had been refused a voice in the Congress, and Delegate Martin called this a worse example of autocracy than even Germany could boast of. He said the reason why the rank and file didn't express itself more often was because of the activity of "labor skates" and such men as J. H. McVety and E. S. Woodward.

The vote on the acceptance of the report was then taken, Delegates Cleveland, Cowgill and Hoover asking that their opposition be recorded.

Mr. J. S. Woodworth, a member of the R. B. Russell defence committee, and himself one of the men on trial in Winnipeg for seditious utterances, made an appeal for assistance. He said the issue involved in the trial was far greater than might appear on the surface.

The convention adjourned until 9:30 this morning.

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Representative Visits City in Connection With Opening Sales Branch in Victoria—Is All-Canadian

Mr. W. R. Reynolds, Western Sales Manager for the Eastern Canada Motor Truck Company, of Hull, Ontario, was in the city part of last week looking over the field for the establishing coast connection for the sales department of the company. He left for Vancouver Sunday and will probably return here towards the end of this week.

The Eastern Canada Motor Truck Company is an all-Canadian organization building motor trucks and trailers exclusively. A large new factory has been erected at Hull, and in the course of another two or three weeks, Mr. Reynolds states, will have reached its present maximum of about 20 trucks a day. While it is an easy matter to dispose of the entire output practically en bloc under the present strong demand for this class of transportation facility, the company, he says, is more interested in the beginning to establish a substantial national conection as a basis for its future business.

The vice-president and general manager of the company is (Major) G. Gordon Bell, a distinguished war veteran having the D.F.C. Medal, Chevalier of the Legion of Honor and the Croix de Guerre, with Palms. The company's secretary-treasurer (Major) T. W. MacDowell, is a V.C. and D.S.O. They have made the industry, as far as possible, an opening for the returned man, and their product is called the "Veteran" truck.

White Star Liner Damaged

NEW YORK, March 8.—The estimated cost of repairs to the White Star liner Cedric, which was disabled Saturday when a loaded flat car swung under her stern and broke the rudder head, is $160,000. The liner will be withdrawn from the service of the company for about a month.

London licensed its gambling houses in 1621.

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MONTREAL, March 8.—The Canadian Pacific Railway had given out equipment orders totalling about $15,000,000. These orders call for:

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Freight Traffic Resumption

BERLIN, March 8.—The Belgian, French, Swiss and German railway administrations which have been negotiating at Basel have reached an agreement under which freight traffic between Germany and France and Germany and Belgium can be resumed, according to an announcement here.

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REDS ASSAULT POLES AND FINNS

Soviet Forces Said to Have Been Repulsed in Their Offensives on Western and Northern Fronts

LONDON, March 8.—Russian soviet forces have launched attacks against the Poles and the Finns on the western and northern fronts, according to advices received here. In both instances, it is said, they have been repulsed, and the Finns are reported to have launched a counter-attack, which has pierced the Red lines.

Polish units holding the line running through the Pripet marshes south of Bobruisk are said to have been under attack at two points, the soviet armies advancing on the north and south sides of the marshes. It is recalled that the Poles last week rejected overtures for an armistice, pending peace negotiations, holding the Bolsheviki would strengthen their lines during the time they are protected by the provisions of the truce. In the meantime delegates from the Baltic states are expected to meet at Warsaw next week to consider the soviet terms.

HELSINGFORS, March 8.—The Finnish general staff has received news that the White troops in the Murman region have penetrated the lines of the Bolsheviki forces and now are approaching the town of Repol.

Advices from Helsingfors Saturday reported that the Bolsheviki had begun a new attack on Finland, attacking the Finnish positions at Sutjervi after a heavy artillery bombardment.

GERMAN COUNTER-LIST IS NOT PUBLISHED

BERLIN, March 8.—Germany does not intend to send the Allies at present the list of Allied citizens accused by Germany of misdeeds against her forces during the war, it was said by Foreign Minister Mueller, during the debate in the National Assembly on the third reading of the bill to govern the German trials of persons accused of war crimes by the Entente.

The German records already compiled, Herr Mueller stated, comprised 313 pages of indictments against French war criminals and 69 against British. The data have been officially corroborated, he added, but he considered that the present time was not an auspicious moment to make the list public, but the Government would reserve its decision as to publication for a later date.

FRANCE SUCCEEDS ON REPARATION POINT

PARIS, March 7.—The instructions sent by the French Government to its delegates at London regarding the inability of France to accept in its entirety the proposed economic declaration of the Allies, with the provision that a loan be made to Germany guaranteed by German assets in priority to reparation payments, have resulted in the revision of that declaration, according to advices received here.

Some of the proposals of the original declaration, notably the loan proposition, were regarded as an indirect attempt to revise the treaty of Versailles.

It is stated that negotiations are continuing still for modification of the declaration.

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Danger From Plagues

NEW YORK, March 8.—Surgeon-General H. S. Cummings, who arrived here yesterday on the Baltic, stated that unless the United States takes every precaution there is a grave danger that typhus, bubonic plague and sleeping sickness may be brought here from Europe.

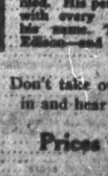
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TEMPERATURE

	Min.	Max.
Victoria, B. C.	40	51
Vancouver	40	46
Kamloops	[illegible]	44
Barkerville	[illegible]	30
Prince Rupert	[illegible]	40
Atlin	[illegible]	34
Dawson, Y. T.	[illegible]	12
Calgary, Alta.	[illegible]	46
Winnipeg	[illegible]	16
Portland, Ore.	46	54
San Francisco, Cal.	50	56
Port Arthur	4	26
Penticton	[illegible]	45
Nelson	[illegible]	47
Grand Forks	27	42
Cranbrook	18	46
Kaslo	31	46

SUNDAY

Highest	[illegible]
Lowest	[illegible]
Average	[illegible]
Minimum on grass	[illegible]

Rain, .02 inch; bright sunshine, 30 min.; general state of weather, cloudy.

MONDAY

Highest	[illegible]
Lowest	[illegible]
Average	[illegible]
Minimum on grass	[illegible]

Rain, .07 inch; bright sunshine, 48 min.; general state of weather, cloudy.

Death of Capt. Warren Oliver

LADNER, B. C., March 8.—Capt. Warren Oliver, a resident of this district for 20 years, died at his home here Sunday. He was 88 years of age and a native of New Brunswick.

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City and District in Brief

S.P.C.A. Offices—By the kindness of Mr. Hollins, the S.P.C.A. has secured an office at No. 8, Arcade Building, Government Street; phone 1489.

G.W.V.A. to Meet—The attention of the members of the G.W.V.A. is called to the fact that there is a special appeal to all members to attend a special general meeting to be held in their clubrooms this evening.

Esquimalt Hospital Dance—There is to be a dance tonight at Esquimalt Military Hospital, and in connection with this it is announced that from now onward these social events are to be strictly invitational.

Dirty Milk—The city may shortly apply for power to prosecute dairymen selling milk of low butterfat content. At present the city only has power to prosecute those who sell dirty milk.

Board of Trade Meeting — The monthly general meeting of the Board of Trade will be held on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Board of Trade rooms. Considerable business is to be transacted. All members are requested to attend.

Boards to Confer—A committee consisting of Chairman Coates and Trustees Raven and Diggon was named by Saanich School Board last night to meet the City Board to discuss high school matters. The Saanich Board has not officially informed the city of its intention to start its own high school.

Sunday Roof Fires—Two roof fires in the city last Sunday afternoon called the city firemen from the post-prandial devotional exercises of that day. At 1:52 p.m. they went out to 327 Quebec Street, and two hours later were called by an alarm from the corner of Fort and Blanshard Streets. No trouble and little damage in either case.

Police Court—In the City Police Court yesterday, W. H. Grimm was fined $10 for not reporting a motor accident to the police; E. Doyle paid $5 for an alcoholic indiscretion on Yates Street; and Lee Dye, pleading guilty to having opium for other than medicinal or scientific purposes, swelled the municipal exchequer by the sum of $20 and $2.50 costs.

Will Fight Vagrancy Charge—Alex. D. Bruce failed to respond to his name on a remanded charge of vagrancy in the City Police Court yesterday; but City Prosecutor Harrison informed Magistrate Jay that the accused had retained counsel, and intended to fight the charge. The case was further remanded.

Army and Navy Veterans—The monthly general meeting of the Army and Navy Veterans will be held in the club rooms, Pemberton Building, at 8 p.m. on Thursday next, the 11th instant. As there are several matters of great importance affecting the welfare of the Association to be brought up for discussion, a full attendance of members is requested.

Bible Students Ask Permit—Secretary W. T. Barfield, of the International Bible Students' Association, asked the City Council last night if there was any objection to the display here on Sunday of moving and still pictures known as the "Photodrama of Creation." The matter was referred to the Police Commission.

Appeals to Council—Mr. Albert R. Nex, 660 Montreal Street, last night appealed to the City Council about his neighbor's chickens, which, he claims, are spoiling his garden. Mr. Nex says he built a fence to keep them out, but they fly over it. The matter was turned over to the Board of Police Commissioners.

Mrs. Ralph Smith to Speak—Mrs. Ralph Smith, M.P.P., the first woman legislator in British Columbia, will address the Kiwanis Club at the weekly luncheon at the Dominion Hotel today. Mr. E. Fairey will give a vocal selection, with Kiwanian Heaton as accompanist. The song cards will be in evidence as usual for the chorus singing by the whole Club.

Furniture Styles—At the general monthly meeting of the Island Arts and Crafts Club to be held in the Club rooms, 202-3 Union Bank Building, on Thursday evening, Mr. H. Currie will lecture on "The Development of Furniture Styles." The subject is one which should appeal to a majority of the membership, and a big attendance is anticipated.

Dance at Sooke—The Sooke Harbor Hotel never before entertained such a large party of Victoria people as at their last dance on Wednesday, March 3. It is because of the success of this function, which brought nearly thirty carloads of dancers from the city, that the management has decided to hold another of these popular events on Saturday next.

Will Ask Specialist's Advice—Mr. Lockhart, an Indiana specialist in school architecture, will arrive in the city near the end of the week to consult with Government educationists concerning the Chilliwack consolidated school, of which he is the consulting architect. The Saanich School Board delegated Chairman Coates to interview him in regard to Saanich's high school problem.

Saanich to Handle Supplies—Pencils, erasers, scribblers and compasses will be supplied by the Saanich Municipality to the pupils of the schools at cost, commencing with the Fall term. This effort to combat the high cost of education was decided upon by the Saanich School Board last night. A committee will be appointed to meet the teachers in an attempt to standardize supplies.

Meeting Tonight—The adjourned annual general meeting of the Seamen's Institute and the Victoria branch of the Navy League of Canada, will be held this evening at 8:15 at 418 Belmont Building. Members are urgently requested to attend as matters of very great importance will come up, and Mr. Gordon Jackson, the Dominion Secretary of the Navy League of Canada will be present.

Fortune Teller Held—Mary Demetro, a Brazilian, was arrested by Chief James Palmer, of the Esquimalt police last night and charged with theft of $20 and fortune-telling. She gave $100 bail and will appear in the Police Court this morning. It is charged that she paid a call on G. E. Hodgson, Head Street storekeeper, offered to read his palms and slipped away with more money than was stipulated.

Reports on Epidemic—There have been 150 cases of influenza reported in Saanich, two-thirds of these being school children, according to a report from the Municipal Health Officer, Dr. Vye, received by the Saanich School Board last night. He stated that in no case did he find it necessary to close a school owing to sickness among the pupils. The influenza, the health officer concluded, was neither so virulent nor prevalent as last year.

Elk Lake Watershed—Members of the City Council last night made it clear that so far no definite scheme has been arrived at for the disposal of part of the Elk Lake Watershed area. Requests for information on the proposal were received by the Council last night from the Victoria Real Estate Exchange and private realty concerns. They were referred to the Inter-municipal Committee, which is dealing with the matter.

Refused to Sign Cheques—Reeve Watson refused to sign the pay cheques of a number of Saanich teachers on the grounds that these teachers were not entitled to the $7 bonus granted by the new Board. The teachers in question were taken on the staff last September, and the Reeve claimed that they are under contract at the old scale for a year. The Board last night passed a resolution to the effect that the bonus was meant to apply to all teachers.

To Remove Ban—On recommendation of Medical Health Officer Arthur G. Price, the City Council last night decided to apply to the Provincial Board of Health for the removal of the ban on public and private dancing which has been in force during the last two or three weeks. Dr. Price stated in a report to the Council that the influenza situation showed marked improvement, and that there was no necessity for continuing the ban further.

Victoria West Brotherhood—The regular monthly meeting will be held in Semple's Hall this evening at 7:30 o'clock, when officers for the ensuing year will be elected. On March 17 an Irish concert will be given at Semple's Hall by the double quartette party of the First Presbyterian Church, consisting of numbers of Moore's Irish melodies. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the widow and six children of the late Mr. Thomas Lewis.

Will Try Once More—The Saanich School Board will put before the Council another request for approval of extraordinary estimates to the amount of $2,500 for accommodation at the Strawberry Vale and Cedar Hill schools. The extraordinary estimates, which were rejected in toto by the Council, contained $4,000 for this purpose. The School Board last night reduced the requested amount and will ask the Council for it before that body finally passes the rate by-law on Thursday night.

Dominion Employees—At the last meeting of the Dominion Public Works Association held in the rooms in the Post Office Building, the following officers were elected: Hon. president, Wm. Henderson; hon. vice-president, C. N. Rivercomb; president, W. M. Everall; vice-president, W. C. Hoey; secretary-treasurer, Wm. McKay; executive, W. M. Everall, W. C. Hoey, Wm. McKay, W. G. Brown, J. E. Jeffcott. During the evening a presentation of a set of pipes and tobacco pouch was made to Mr. Wm. McKay in recognition of his services during the past year.

Soldier-Labor Council — Officers were elected at a meeting of the new Soldier-Labor Council held last evening as follows: President, Mr. H. W. Hart; vice-president, Mr. Tom Dooley; secretary, Mr. R. P. McLernan. A committee composed of Messrs. Watchman, Peirce and Gadsden was named to draft a constitution for presentation at the next meeting. The Council is composed of representatives of the Comrades of the Great War, the G. W. V. A., the Metal Trades Council and the Trades and Labor Council.

A Majority Decision—Twenty-one white men stood up in the City Police Court yesterday and pleaded guilty to being found in a common gaming house at 550 Cormorant Street last Saturday. Joe, Hin, and Lee, three Chinamen charged with being the keepers of the house in question, were remanded on bail in the sum of $500 each, until next Wednesday. In fining the twenty-one the sum of $20 each, Magistrate Jay improved the occasion by pointing out to the men that they were very foolish if they thought they could beat the Chinese lottery game. Chinamen did not run lottery games for any such altruistic purposes. There were married men among them, the accused, and the magistrate was of opinion that the time and money wasted on Chinese lotteries properly belonged to the wives and families of the men. He would assist them in remembrance of the lesson by imposing a fine of $20 each.

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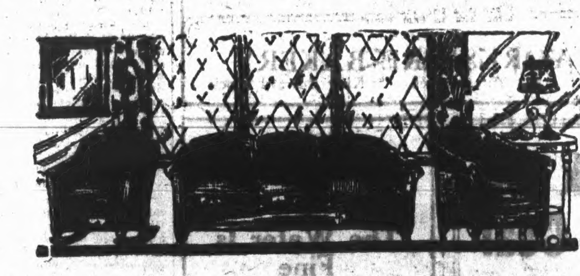
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Municipal Committee Considered Suggestion Advanced by Municipal Union to Increase Taxation

Resolutions presented by the B.C. Union of Municipalities were considered by the Municipal Committee of the Legislature yesterday, and there appeared to be a general agreement that the suggestion of a $10 poll tax on all men between 21 and 60 possessed merit provided that when collected in municipalities the proceeds should go to the local councils and in unorganized districts to the government, the amount to be deducted from any other taxes paid. Such a tax, Commissioner Gillespie, of South Vancouver, wrote, should be devoted to educational purposes.

As to the extent to which the tax should be applied to women, there was some discussion, it being suggested that only in the event of a woman earning a stated salary should it be enforced.

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Vancouver Waterfront

VANCOUVER, March 8.—Commissioner A. E. Mackenzie, of the Harbor Board, returned from St. Paul Sunday evening after the completion of the purchase of the Heatley Avenue strip of waterfront from the Great Northern Railway for $400,000. He stated that many difficulties in the way of the various details of the transaction were cleared away owing to the mutual goodwill of the negotiating parties.

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Mr. Louis Glazen and Mr. "Bill" Watson are opening Victoria's latest place of amusement. Mr. Glazen stated last evening that everything has been in readiness for the opening for some weeks past. Arrangements have been made with several well-known local artists, who will render some of the latest song hits.

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DIVERSE VIEWS UPON NEW ELECTIONS ACT

Extension of Franchise to Japanese a Departure From Previous Policies, Mr. Ross States

That the proposal of the Government, under the terms of the act, to widen the franchise was one that called for most earnest consideration, was the contention of Mr. W. R. Ross when, in continuing the debate in the Legislature yesterday afternoon on the motion for the second reading of the new Provincial Elections Act, he pointed to the fact that it is proposed to grant the franchise to practically every one, irrespective of nationality, who served in the Great War and especially to the Japanese. While he favored the widening of the franchise as far as possible and agreed that nothing is too good for the men who fought and suffered overseas, he submitted that the granting of the franchise to the Japanese involved serious matters of policy and was not in conformity with the policies of the past. The bill, he pointed out, apparently did not contemplate granting the franchise to Hindus and other East Indians, British subjects, who served the Empire in the war, nor to those Indians of the Province, many of whom enlisted and served overseas. There should be an explanation forthcoming as to why the Government has seen fit to grant the privilege to the Japanese and not to the others.

Mr. Ross objected to the provisions of the bill providing for the appointment of deputy registrars, paid out of the public purse, to assist in compiling the voters' list. If the Government followed its policies of the past these officials would be selected purely upon their political records, rather than upon their actual fitness for the work, and it was not going too far to suggest, he said, that their whole effort would be directed to favoring the Government to the detriment of the other parties.

Chance for Fraud

The regulations governing the absentee vote, too, came in for some criticism at the hands of the member for Fort George. He pointed to the fact that it was proposed to permit a man, absent from his home polling district, to vote in some other district, the ballot to be returned to the home district to be counted not less than three weeks after the polling. Such a plan, he believed, left it open to fraud if the men in charge of the polling were dishonest or more regardful of party advantage. The power, too, of granting a ballot to persons so illiterate that they could not read, or to foreigners who could not understand the English language was a mistake, he believed. Any men who could not speak or write English should not be allowed the franchise.

Colonel McIntosh, commenting upon the fact that the soldier members had been termed the new opposition, suggested that they did not so consider themselves but were ready to offer commendation or praise of Government measures as they deemed it to be in the best interests of the public. There were some commendable features in the bill, and some to be condemned, he said. He favored the change from the semi-annual to the annual revision of the lists; the disenfranchisement of deserters and conscientious objectors, and the provision made whereby voters would have to sign their names before securing a ballot, thus permitting a comparison with the names on the original application to be placed upon the list. He favored the payment of the deputy registrar, though the system of employing such officials continued the old objection the Liberals were wont to voice when in the opposition, namely, that such a system would naturally result in the officials seeing to it that the lists were prepared more in the interests of the party paying them than in the interests of all parties concerned. It might be better to place the work of the preparation of the lists under the judiciary, thus removing the possibility of criticism that the partisan element was allowed to enter into the matter, he said.

Favors Penalty

Colonel McIntosh also considered the policy of striking off the list those who failed to vote was a move in the right direction, but he pointed to the fact that many voters, the women especially, oft-times took little interest in elections, and such a move might not tend to increase the Government popularity among the fair sex. But he did not see why a penalty of $10 should not be placed upon all those voters who failed to vote except those who could produce a satisfactory reason for their failure to do so.

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The plan proposed for absentee voting, Colonel McIntosh suggested, might be a good one from the standpoint of the explanation made by the Premier, that it would eliminate the expenditures heretofore made by parties in getting the absentees back to their districts to vote, but he saw in it the opportunity for wrongdoing. Lists could be padded with names in every shape and form and these names could be voted in the back districts. Five or ten thousand such names might be so placed on the list.

"How can such jugglery be accomplished?" asked Mr. J. W. Weart.

"I may refer you to the history of the past few years for suggestions," replied Colonel McIntosh, who expressed his regret that the bill indicated it was not the intention to use the proportional representation system of voting. In view of the trend of modern opinion and the fact that the Liberal party is pledged in favor of that system, some step should be taken to make it effective, at least in those districts such as Vancouver and Victoria, where there will be a plurality of candidates in the field, and in view of the fact that today there is a marked disposition on the part of many voters to break away from party allegience. In single constituencies the old system could be followed.

There had been some suggestion that the Vancouver and Victoria districts would be divided into sections, each party entering a candidate in each section. He was opposed to such a move and, he asserted, so is the Women's Liberal Association of Vancouver. But if it were done it was an absolute essential that the proportional representation system should be used, so that the vote could not be so split up that a man who could not possibly secure a majority in the riding at large, would get it in a single district.

The debate was adjourned by Mr. H. A. Hall, Victoria.

Approves Bill

Strong commendation of the bill to licence real estate agents was voiced by Mr. Kenneth Duncan, Cowichan, who saw two important principles in it. First the recognition by the House of the advisability of regulating a class which is placed in a position of trust to the public, in which connection he quoted from the findings of the Agricultural Commission in 1912, advocating steps to safeguard the public from misrepresentations by irresponsible agents; and second, the provision for investigation of complaints by inspectors appointed by the Government. The right of appeal by either party against the findings of the inspector was proper, but Mr. Duncan suggested this right of appeal was sometimes carried too far. He thought the appeal should be confined to one court and not be permitted to be carried further.

The real estate men of the Province, in coming to the Government of their own accord and asking for the legislation stood in a unique position, Mr. Duncan believed, especially when it was considered that they were willing that the cost of the administration of the law should be paid by themselves. He desired to commend this principle to the lawyers, doctors, engineers and other organizations. It was the correct principle to have members of these bodies also regulated and licensed under the Government. There was nothing in the bill involving the principle of a close corporation, he said.

The bill was given its second reading.

Trustees Act

The second reading was also given to the bill to amend the Trustee Act, one designed to enlarge the powers of trustees to invest trust funds in securities, municipal or otherwise, guaranteed by the Dominion or by any of the Provinces.

Mr. Bowser advised the House to go slow in such legislation, stating that the people most affected were generally those who knew little or nothing of business. He could see no particular objection to the wider powers being asked for as the guarantee of the Dominion or Provinces should be sufficient guarantee that the safety desired would be had. But in the light of past experience the power now existing to a trustee to invest funds on mortgages on real estate might well be further considered. The experience of the past, and especially during the war, had shown that while Government securities had declined in value yet they continued to return a revenue upon the investment. But that had not been the case with investments in real estate. Considering the high class of Government securities now available it might be advisable, Mr. Bowser suggested, to eliminate real estate as an investment for trust funds.

Hon. Mr. Farris intimated that when the bill was in committee other suggestions would be forthcoming and the House could then give them every consideration.

The second reading was also given to the bill granting to the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council power, upon petition, to grant certain power to incorporate village municipalities in cases of centres in unorganized districts not possessed of more than 750 of a population. There were many of such points not large enough to warrant their being brought under the more elaborate powers of the Municipal Act, but which, at the same time, require some powers to permit them to instal facilities. The order-in-council creating the municipality would set forth all requirements as to the method by which payment for such facilities should be made, etc.

The sea crawfish of great size and weight, which inhabits the deep places of the ocean, rarely, though sometimes, has slender claws.

OBITUARY NOTICES

MATHESON—The funeral of the late Mrs. Margaret Matheson, whose death occussed at the Royal Jubilee Hospital last Thursday, took place yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Relatives and many friends were in attendance, the casket being covered with many beautiful flowers. The hymns sung were "Abide With Me" and "Nearer, My God, to Thee." Rev. S. Cook officiated and the pallbearers were Messrs. A. J. Morley, A. Lynn, C. N. Cameron, A. E. Thompson, J. Kirby and D. J. Johnson. Interment took place at Ross Bay Cemetery.

DELL—The death took place last Thursday at her home, 838 Johnson Street, of Mrs. Arche Dell, aged 43 years. Deceased was born in England and had been a resident of this city for the past two months, and is survived by relatives in Calgary, also a brother in California. The remains are reposing at the Sands Funeral Chapel. Funeral notice later.

MARKLE—At 1762 Fort Street Saturday morning the death occurred of Miss Alice Markle, aged 25 years. Born in Honolulu, she had been a resident of this city for the past six years, and leaves besides her parents, one sister and one brother in Honolulu to mourn her loss. The remains are reposing at the Sands Funeral Chapel, and will later be forwarded to Honolulu for interment.

GILLAN—The death occurred Sunday morning at her home, 2024 Stanley Avenue, of Mrs. Eileen Mary Gillan, beloved wife of John Q. Gillan. She was a native daughter, aged 28 years, and is survived by her husband, three children, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Mulcahy, of 1007 Esquimalt Road, and one sister and six brothers, all residing at home. The remains will repose at the Sands Funeral Chapel until Wednesday morning, when they will be removed to her parents' residence, 1007 Esquimalt Road. At 9:30 o'clock the cortege will proceed from the residence to St. Andrew's Cathedral, where Requiem High Mass will be celebrated at 10 o'clock by the Rev. Father MacDonald. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

MANN—The death occurred on Sunday at 222 Mary Street, Victoria West, of Frances Margaret Mann, aged 30 years, beloved wife of Mr. Arthur Mann. The deceased lady was a native of Norton, Wales, and a resident here for the past seven years. She is survived by her husband, one brother, Mr. George Worsencroft, of Vancouver, Mrs. Holdcroft, of Victoria, a sister, and a sister in Norton, Wales. The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 from the Thomson Funeral Home. Rev. Robert Connell will officiate.

MALLATT—The death occurred last evening at Jubilee Hospital of Mrs. Hannah Mallatt, widow of George Mallatt, at the age of 75 years. The deceased lady resided at Ruby Road, Mount Tolmie, and had been a resident of this district for the past eleven years. She was born in Derbyshire, England. She is survived by three sons, Fred, Arthur and Martin, all of this city. The remains are reposing at the B. C. Funeral Chapel and due notice of the funeral will be given.

PIELL JOE—Piell Joe, an Indian from the Tswout Reserve, Saanichton, died at the Isolation Hospital, Saturday, from pneumonia following influenza. He was 40 years of age. The remains are at the B. C. Funeral Parlors, and will be interred at Saanichton.

JEEVES—The remains of the late Mrs. Eleanor Jeeves will be laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery this afternoon. Service will be conducted in the B. C. Funeral Chapel at 2 o'clock, the Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick officiating.

SMITH—The funeral of the late Herbert Wilson Smith will take place this morning. The cortege will leave the B. C. Funeral Chapel at 10:45 o'clock, proceeding to Christ Church Cathedral for service at 11 o'clock. Rev. Dean Quainton will officiate. Interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

BARRAN—The funeral of the late Julius Barran took place from the B. C. Funeral Chapel yesterday afternoon. Service was conducted by the Rev. A. deB. Owen. Many friends of the deceased were in attendance, and the casket was covered with flowers. The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs F. Partridge, S. A. Bantly, H. Jensen, H. Hepworth, H. Benson and A. Vegilius. Interment was made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

MARKWICK—The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Markwick will be held this afternoon. Service will take place in the B. C. Funeral Chapel at 3:30 o'clock, Rev. H. S. Osborne officiating.

Withdrawal of Japanese

TOKIO, March 8.—The cabinet has approved the withdrawal of the Japanese troops from Siberia in April, after the repatriation of Czecho-Slovakian contingents has been completed. It is said that the Czechs will all be on their way home by March 20.

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Mr. William Wilson Falls and Receives Injuries That Will Confine Him to Hospital

Mr. William Wilson, head of the firm of W. & J. Wilson, suffered an unfortunate experience Sunday morning which, aside from shaking him badly, will confine him to the Jubilee Hospital for some time. Owing to his advanced years much concern was felt generally as to his condition yesterday. Dr. Fraser, the attending physician, was pleased with Mr. Wilson's condition last evening, and stated that he had borne the shock of the unfortunate experience splendidly. Constitutionally, he said, his patient was in excellent condition, and he hoped that the injury to his hip would not prove especially trying.

On leaving his bed Sunday morning, Mr. Wilson's leg gave way, because of his having placed careless strain on it, and allowed him to fall heavily on the hip. Recently the circulation had not been so good in his legs and this accounts for the weakness. It is hoped that a fracture has not been suffered, though the X-ray plates taken yesterday were not sufficiently clear to determine the exact nature of the injury. Other plates will be exposed. Mr. Wilson was cheerful last night and assured his family that he was resting easily.

Disorders Block Traffic

BUDAPEST, March 8.—The Paris-Bucharest train over the Simplon route has not put in an appearance at Szegdin for five days. The delay is attributed to Croatian-Serb disorders at Agram.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Dance, Agricultural Hall, Saanichton, Friday, March 12. Heaton's Orchestra. Dancing 9-2.

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British Israel — Owing to the meeting of the Lord's Day Alliance in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church tonight, our meeting is cancelled. Will members kindly attend the L.D.A. meeting. "Verily, my Sabbaths ye shall keep; it is assigned between me and the children of Israel for ever." E. E. Richards, secretary.

Public lecture will be given by Mr. H. H. Plasket on "Science and the War," on Wednesday evening, March 10 at 8 o'clock, in the auditorium of the Girls' Central School, Fort Street. An account will be given of seven of the most important applications of science to war problems, in particular the method envolved for the detection and destruction of submarines, the use of invisible light for signaling and various applications of sound will be dealt with. Illustrated with slides, and one or two simple experiments. Under the auspices of the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada.

Advertises Victoria—Lieut. H. D. Patterson, who has recently been demobilized after nearly four years' service, has returned to Victoria after a month's visit to his old home in Winnipeg. While there he was busy doing missionary work for the Real Estate Department of the Franco-Canadian Trust Co. Ltd., here, and advertised the attractions of Victoria and Vancouver Island. He succeeded in securing a large number of prospective buyers for houses in the city and small holdings in the vicinity of Victoria. Owners would do well to list their property immediately with Franco-Canadian Trust Co., Ltd., Belmont House.

Railway Wage Conference

WASHINGTON, March 8.—Representatives of the railroad brotherhoods and the railroads will meet here Wednesday to begin negotiations looking to a settlement of the wage demands of the 2,000,000 railway workers. The machinery with which an effort will be made to settle the dispute is that provided for in the railroad bill.

Eruptions of Mount Etna have always been preceded by premonitory symptoms.

WOULD AMALGAMATE ALL LABOR UNIONS

Baker Resolution Introduced in Yesterday's Federation Convention Seeks to Bridge Gap in Local Circles

Following the introduction of President J. Kavanagh's report to the tenth annual convention of the B.C. Federation of Labor in the morning session at the Labor Temple yesterday morning a resolution was put before the meeting by Delegate Baker, of Vancouver, appealing that immediate steps be taken to find some common ground whereon workers as a whole might meet in opposition to the employing class.

In closing his report President Kavanagh recommended the dissolving of the B.C. Federation, the work of which was "completed with the launching of the One Big Union." As the charter for the B.C. Federation was withdrawn by the Trades and Labor Congress, the Canadian central body affiliated with the international, when the One Big Union proposal was adopted in last year's convention, it is taken that this resolution will open the way for an effort to reunite these two labor factions.

Delegate Baker's resolution in full is as follows:

"Whereas, the labor movement in the Province of British Columbia is at present divided into two distinct groups, representing the craft and the industrial organizations respectively, and

"Whereas, the cleavage is breeding and fostering artificial antagonism between and among the workers, and thus places them at a disadvantage at the hands of the employing class,

"Be it resolved that this convention take immediate steps to find some common ground whereon the workers as a whole may meet in opposition to the employing class, thereby conserving the best interest of the working class."

This resolution, along with another in relation to the shares in the B.C. Federationalist paper, were read and referred to the resolutions committee for report.

Convention Widely Representative

Yesterday's convention opened with upwards of sixty delegates attending. In the absence of President J. Kavanagh, who is at present in England, Vice-President W. H. Cottrell took the chair. The executive officers present were J. Naylor, Cumberland; T. B. Roberts, Silverton; George Casey, Prince Rupert, and Secretary W. S. Wells. The delegates represented locals and internationals from practically every section of the Province and many of the Trades and Labor councils of the larger cities. The Dominion Trades and Labor Congress and neither of the Trades and Labor Councils of the cities of New Westminster and Victoria were present, however, as a result of the split last year on the O.B.U. question. Among the internationals who sent delegates were the railwaymen, painters, carpenters and pulp and sulphite workers. The Fernie Miners' Union wired the convention that the "Fernie miners are solid O.B.U.—will continue present policy with The Federationalist."

The fifty-four accredited delegates included representatives of the General Workers' Union, O.B.U.; Trades and Labor Council, O.B.U.; Marine Firemen and Oilers, O.B.U.; Laundry Workers; Street Railway Men; Loggers; Civic Employees; Plumbers and Steamfitters of Vancouver. Victoria was represented by delegates from Victoria Shipbuilding Unit, O.B.U.; Victoria International Longshoremen; Amalgamated Carpenters. Nanaimo sent a man from the Coal Miners, O.B.U.; Silverton Metalliferous Miners; Cumberland Miners; Prince Rupert Central Labor Council, O.B.U.; Sandon Miners' Union was also represented.

Committees Struck

The following committees were struck: On Officers' Reports—D. S. Cameron, J. Sidaway, W. E. Peirce, J. Marshall, G. Campbell, F. A. Hoover, W. A. Alexander, H. Grand, E. Winch and J. Hogg.

On Audit—J. Shaw, E. W. Ellis and W. Burt.

On Resolutions—V. K. Midgley, J. Clarke, J. C. Ward, J. Legg, J. L. Martin, F. Coynor, Mr. Christie, J. K. Flynn, Earl King and F. Farquharson.

Ways and Means—R. Anderson, E. Meek, E. Waterson.

Credentials—A. McInnes, E. W. Ellis, George Padgett, E. Meek, J. W. Little and W. E. Burt.

A portion of the morning session was given over to Mr. T. Richardson, formerly a member of the British House of Commons, who, being in the city, was asked to address the meeting. He said the day of the labor union had passed, staunchly supported the idea of the One Big Union, and prophesied the coming of the labor party.

He was a close student of the socialistic and labor movements, he said. While realising that the Old World standards could not be made to apply in the case of local conditions, he had made a careful survey of the Canadian situation. He was an Internationalist and favored the One Big Union. He believed that the labor unions had served their purpose and were no longer adequate to meet changed conditions.

Mr. Richardson said he was appalled at the spirit of servility and abjectness on part of the workers on Vancouver Island, where he had found little semblance of trade unionism. This was fatal to the big movement. "There must be a wholesale get-together," he went on, "if you trade unionists are going to solve the moral and political problems confronting you."

"I want to say to you, comrades, here in British Columbia, out of the depths of my experience, that you are going to enter politics," Mr. Richardson continued after referring to his having been for eight years a member of the British House of Commons. The ideals of Socialism must be made to dominate, he insisted, and complete democratic control must be gained for the men and women engaged in the industrial life, if the labor movement was to be of any value. This was to be attained through political success. It had been demonstrated in British politics, he continued, that effective political action must be built on the solid foundation of socialistic principles else it would go down before the political "junkers." He appealed for the building up of the ranks of the proletariat as a basis for the future great Labor Party of Canada.

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PRINTER'S ERROR SENDS BILL BACK TO HOUSE

Johnson Street Bridge Act Is Again Before the Members —Mr. Bowser Says Answer Is Incorrect

A printer's error which misplaced punctuation in the bill recently before the Legislature to ratify the Johnson Street bridge agreements and the by-law passed by the ratepayers at the recent municipal election here, necessitated the return of the bill to the House yesterday in order that the correction might be formally made. The bill was recommitted, the correction made and at the next sitting the measure will be formally reported and passed.

On a question of privilege, Mr. W. J. Bowser, K.C., Conservative leader, voiced objection to answers brought down last week by Hon. J. H. King, Minister of Public Works, in reply to questions asked by Mr. Bowser, in respect of a claim for $2,707.50 put in by Messrs. Laidlaw & Ritchie, of Nelson, contractors on the Vernon Court House. Mr. Bowser asked, among other questions, if that firm had put in a claim for the above amount against the late Government in 1914.

Hon. Dr. King returned the answer "No."

Mr. Bowser did not think the Minister desired to allow that answer to go abroad as the correct one. He (Mr. Bowser) knew that the late Government had refused to pay the claim and, consequently, the answer was quite incorrect.

The Minister of Public Works stated if the files of the department showed that that was the case he would be glad to say so. He promised to make inquiries on the matter.

Before the session arose, Mr. Bowser called the attention of the Premier to a number of reports and returns asked for by the Opposition which as yet have failed to put in an appearance, returns on various subjects asked for between February 6 and 20, but in no cases had they yet appeared.

Hon. Dr. MacLean, in respect of some of these returns connected with his department, explained that owing to sickness among the staff the returns had been delayed, and that further, it was hoped shortly to bring down the report of the Civil Service Commissioner in which much of the information asked for by the House would be shown.

Mr. Bowser also directed the attention of Hon. Mr. Barrow, Minister of Agriculture, to the fact that the annual report of the Land Settlement Board must be filed within ten days of the opening of the session. So far it has failed to make its appearance.

The bringing down of the Budget is presaged by notice given by Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, that tomorrow he will move that the Speech of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, at the opening of the session be taken into consideration on Thursday, the 11th. The motion is purely a formal one. Expectation is that the Budget will not come down until next Monday and that night sittings will then be inaugurated.

Mrs. Ralph Smith, woman member for Vancouver, will on Thursday ask leave to introduce a bill entitled "The British Columbia Optometry Act," the aim of which is to license opticians and force those following the business to attain a certain standard of qualification before being allowed to practice in the Province. British Columbia is the only province in Canada which has not as yet passed such an act with the result, Mrs. Smith states, that there are now many individuals following the business in the Province who are not qualified to do so.

COUNCIL DISCUSSES PRIVATE CEMETERY

Objects to Use of Victoria in Proposed Burial Park at Colwood — No Jurisdiction There, However

Mr. Frank Higgins, K.C., representing interests intending to establish a privately-owned burial park in the Colwood district, last night wrote to the City Council, repeating his request for information as to whether the city has any objection to the project.

A previous letter of the same nature was referred to the Inter-Municipal Committee, which is dealing with the question of establishing a numicipal cemetery in the vicinity of Victoria.

Ald. Todd moved that Mr. Higgins be informed that the Council is not yet ready to answer his question.

"Mr. Higgins evidently means to use our letter for a purpose," said Ald. Dewar, who did not favor answering the communication at all.

Ald. Johns suggested that Mr. Higgins be informed that Victoria had no jurisdiction outside the city limits.

"Mr. Higgins knows more law than we do," protested Ald. Patrick. "There is no advantage in telling him that."

"Well, if I was asked to make a statement now," said Ald. Todd, "I would say that I was emphatically opposed to any privately owned cemetery making use of the name of Victoria, as it is evidently intended. The cemetery is not to be located near Victoria, and why they should seek to use the name of Victoria is not plain."

Mr. Higgins will be told that the city has no jurisdiction in Colwood, but that it objects to the use of its name.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

The many friends of Mrs. William H. Rewlands, of 317 Phoenix Place, will be sorry to learn that owing to ill health she has been obliged to leave on an extended visit to Harrison Hot Springs.

Mrs. F. W. Laing returned home on Sunday afternoon from a visit in Vancouver, where she has been the guest of Mrs. T. Harold, 1245 Eighth Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Peters, of Vancouver, accompanied by Miss Gladys Peters, of Victoria, and Miss Dorothy Langford, of Vancouver, left the Mainland city Sunday morning for New York, where they will visit for several weeks.

Miss Mary McHugh, who with her brother, Mr. Harold McHugh gave an exhibition of fancy skating at the hockey match last Friday night has left for Vancouver, where on Thursday evening she will act as one of the judges at the Connaught Skating Club carnival. Mr. McHugh will proceed to their home in Calgary, while Miss McHugh will return to Victoria for a visit of several weeks before leaving for home. While in Victoria, Mr. and Miss McHugh were the guests of Mr. A. H. Hebb, city passenger agent for the Great Northern Railway.

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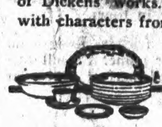
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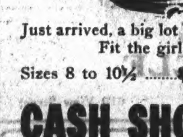
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WEDDINGS

Small-Newton

A wedding of interest to many Victorians took place at Christ Church Cathedral yesterday afternoon at 2:30, when Major the Rev. W. Barton, M.A., solemnized the marriage of Helena Clara Newton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Newton, of this city, and Mr. Cecil Stanton Small, late of the 7th Canadian Infantry Battalion (1st B. C. Regiment), and one of the originals who left Victoria in 1914 for overseas. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a lovely gown of soft white satin with georgette overdress and a veil of net caught in a very piquant fashion with a coronet of orange blossoms. Her bouquet was a shower of carnations and orchids. There were three attendants, all nieces of the bride. They were Miss Mabel Ringshaw, as bridesmaid, wearing a charming frock of pink chiffon taffeta with a pink tulle veil, and carrying an arm bouquet of pink carnations and fern, and the little Misses Kathleen Ringshaw, Edna Mead and Amy Young, as flower girls wearing dainty frocks of pale green silk, with Dutch caps of white satin and lace, and carrying baskets of snowdrops and violets. The best man was Mr. Leonard McKenzie, late of the Mechanical Transport, C.E.F., which left here in 1915. The ceremony was witnessed by a large assembly of friends. The organist, Dr. J. B. Watson played the wedding music. Following the ceremony, a reception and luncheon was held at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. J. Ringshaw, 141 Howe Street, Fairfield. The reception rooms were prettily decorated in daffodils and pussywillows. The assortment of beautiful and useful presents was greatly admired by the numerous guests and indicated the popularity of the bride and bridegroom among a wide circle of friends. The bride's mother, wearing a smart dress of black silk with old lace trimmings and a taupe grey velvet toque, assisted the bridal pair in receiving. Mr. and Mrs. Smart left on the midnight boat for Vancouver and other points on the Mainland, where the honeymoon is to be spent, the bride traveling in a smart navy blue suit with picture hat of blue georgette. They will return to make their home in Victoria, the groom being the proprietor of the Club Cafe, Yates Street.

"Let good digestion wait on appetite" at Brentwood Hotel, known as the Hotel de Luxe of the Pacific Coast. Phone Keatings 21L.

CITY HINTS THAT WORK ON RAILROAD IS SLOW

General Solicitor R. W. Hannington, of the Canadian National Railways, repeated his request to the City Council last night for speed in allocating the right-of-way through the Sooke Lake watershed to his company. The city has been negotiating with the owners for a favorable price for months.

Ald. Todd moved that Mr. Hannington be informed that the Council is moving as quickly as possible in the matter.

"It would not be out of place," said the alderman, "to request Mr. Hannington to tell his head office in Toronto that the people here have not been pressing them very hard for the completion of certain undertakings which are now several years overdue."

Make European Tour

NEW YORK, March 8.—The New York Symphony Orchestra, 93 strong, will sail April 1 for an extended European tour. The opening concerts will be held in Paris, May 5, 6 and 7.

TOOK EXCEPTION TO DR. BAKER'S ACCOUNTS

Comptroller-General Was Not Satisfied, But Deputy-Attorney General Demanded Prompt Payment

When the Comptroller General complained that the acounts of Dr. Baker, chairman of the Game Conservation Board, were not accompanied by the proper vouchers, the answer received from the Deputy Attorney-General was that Dr. Baker is not a civil servant and not amenable to the same regulations governing the service and, the Comptroller General was advised, prompt payment should be made.

This and other interesting details concerning the financial relations of Dr. Baker with the Government were disclosed yesterday morning in the course of the investigations by the Public Accounts committee of the Legislature at which accounts submitted by Dr. Baker were considered.

It appeared that Dr. Baker is allowed traveling expenses and $10 per diem hotel and personal expenses for his services as chairman of the Board, an arrangement made during the present fiscal year.

Comptroller General Mouat stated to Mr. Bowser that he had desired more detail of the doctor's accounts, that he expected the same vouchers from him as from civil servants, though he realized Dr. Baker could not be classed as a civil servant.

Mr. Pooley quoted from letters passing between the Comptroller General and Deputy Attorney-General Johnson, to show that the former had complained of the fact that Dr. Baker's accounts were unaccompanied by vouchers and, the latter's reply that the doctor could not be regarded as a civil servant, that his accounts appeared proper and demanding prompt payment thereof. In reply the Comptroller General had written that the Audit Act permitted him to pass only such vouchers as had been properly checked, that those produced were not capable of being checked but that if an assurance were given that in future more details were given he wolud pass the accounts then under consideration.

"Then you did pass those accounts although you were not satisfied with them?" asked Mr. Bowser.

Feels Justified

Comptroller General Mouat said he felt he had been justified in doing so in view of the fact that the Deputy Attorney-General, with which department Dr. Baker is associated, appeared satisfied, and signatures of proper officials were attached.

Mr. Bowser pointed to some items which appeared, from the vouchers, to be charged up for one day's expenses, items of $35 and $45 each.

The Comptroller General suggested they might have been for more than one day.

"Do you know it? That is what you are there as auditor for," said Mr. Bowser.

Comptroller General Mouat declared he considered Mr. Bowser to be taking a very unfair view of the duties of his office.

"I cannot understand your peevishness and that of the Attorney-General every time Dr. Baker's name is mentioned. I would suggest you pick someone else out of the service and get behind him. I have known the doctor for years and I suggest his accounts can well be scrutinized," retorted the Opposition Leader.

Mr. Pooley quoted from a letter from the Comptroller General to the Deputy Attorney-General, dated December 18, 1918, again complaining that Dr. Baker's accounts were lacking in details and also pointing to overlapping therein, items apparently charged in one account being repeated in the next. These objections were forwarded by the Attorney-General to Dr. Baker, who replied giving more detailed explanation of the items, and admitting there had been duplication in some respects, errors which were corrected. Mr. Pooley referred to one of the doctor's accounts. Items for telephone messages to various ladies as well as to male friends were charged up to the government.

Ottawa Expenses

Examination of other items showed that Dr. Baker's expenses to attend the Ottawa game conference last year cost the Province $555; that Mr. Hose, secretary of the board, who also attended that meeting, bought a return ticket to St. John's, N. B., for $191.05, though later the audit department cut that item to $161.

The opposition members desired to go into Dr. Baker's Ottawa accounts but objection was raised by the government members that as that account was put in after the end of the fiscal year to which the public accounts before the committee related, there was no authority for investigation. Upon motion of Mr. Pooley, the chairman, Mr. F. A. Pauline, was instructed to request authority from the House to permit the production of those accounts.

Items of amounts paid to Mr. Patrick Donnely and Mr. G. Macdonald, of Vancouver, the last named being the present general manager of the P. G. E. Railway, for services as valuators of estates of deceased persons were touched upon. Mr. Donnelly received some $660 and Mr. Macdonald about $500. Mr. Pooley pointed to the fact that Mr. Donnelly's bill would indicate he examined three separate estates on one day, putting in a daily charge of $35 for each. He thought Mr. Macdonald showed more restraint, but he changed his mind when a account from the latter for substantial expenses brought his batting average well up to that of Mr. Donnelly.

Mr. Pooley asked for further details in regard to the purchases, within a period of three weeks, of some 687 gallons of distillate for the launch Watla, a craft used by the Provincial Police and Game Board. This was in addition to gasoline.

The committee will delve into accounts of the Prohibition Department tomorrow morning.

Ambassador Received by King

LONDON, March 8.—King George today formally received Sir Auckland Geddes as Ambassador to the United States, a customary procedure when a new ambassador is named.

VICTORIA BOY SCOUTS
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Troops and Packs

Third Troop—Scoutmaster, W. H. Brown, M.C., secretary Aerial League, Arcade Building. Headquarters, Willows Camp. Meets every Friday at 7:30 p.m. The attendance on Friday, the 27th February, was good and the general routine of instruction in ambulance, signalling and physical training was gone through. Scout McConnell successfully passed the Second Class tests in ambulance and signalling, his work being excellent. Scout Renwick passed his second class signalling test and knew his work well. On Saturday, the 28th, a field day was announced as being held at the Willows. The Troop paraded at 2 p.m. All second class Scouts and those above that rank were given signalling work, which was carried out cretidtably. The following passed the second class tests in fire lighting and cooking: Scouts Goad, Wilson, Greaves, Devereaux and Peden.

The following succeeded in second class test in signalling: Scouts Owen and Goad.

The field day closed with a good football game, which warmed everyone thoroughly.

St. James Church Troop—Meets every Thursday at 7:30 p.m. Scoutmaster C. J. Cherry, assistant scoutmasters, G. Thompson and H. Barratt. Headquarters, corner Simcoe and Douglas Streets. This Troop is organised into four Patrols, three taking Scouts from James Bay and one taking in Scouts from the Gorge district only. This latter is full, but boys wishing to join may have their names placed upon the waiting list, as if enough boys wish to join, another Patrol may be started for this district. The Troop is working hard for the Second class Badge, several Scouts only having a little more to do to obtain it. The collection of paper is going on in great shape under management of Scout McMillan, and it is expected the Troop finances will be greatly augmented by this means. A football team is under way. Recruits are asked to apply at headquarters Thursday evenings.

St. James Wolf Cub Pack—Cubmaster, C. J. Cherry. Headquarters, Douglas and Simcoe. Meets every Friday at 7 p.m.

The Pack is in need of an assistant cubmaster. This is urgent. Anyone willing to volunteer please apply to Cubmaster, Friday evenings or to the secretary Troop committee, Mr. E. P. McKie, 330 Phoenix Place.

Several Cubs are hoping to gain their first star shortly, when they can take up advanced work in the Second Star Tests. The Pack is helping the Scouts to secure paper for the funds of the Troop and Pack. Intending recuits should be over nine years of age and apply to headquarters on Friday at 7 p.m. It is the boys who join now who will be in a position to have the best time during the Summer. If you delay too long there may be no vacancies until next Autumn. Join now.

MacLean Troop, Victoria West—Headquarters, 601 Esquimalt Road. Scoutmaster, P. A. Trowsdale. Meets every Friday at 7:30 p.m. This Troop is getting along very well. It is hoped that a Wolf Cub Pack may be started this month, but before this can be done an assistant cubmaster is urgently needed. The work is light and enjoyable and helpful. Volunteers are asked to notify the cubmaster.

Christ Church Cathedral Wolf Cub Pack—Scoutmaster, G. Frampton; assistant scoutmaster, C. S. Frampton. Headquarters, Cathedral schoolroom, Quadra Street.

Last Saturday the Christ Church Cathedral Pack and the St. James' Pack had a small field day together on Mount Tolmie. The afternoon was spent in scouting games for training, observation and dispatch carrying. It is hoped that a few more of these small joint outings will be arranged among the Packs of the city and district.

Victoria Preparatory School Troop and Pack—Headquarers, Saratoga Avenue, Oak Bay. Scoutmaster, P. Hughes. Meets every Friday at 3:30 p.m. Pack meets at same place every Monday at 3:30 p.m. Usual Scout work. Saturdays devoted to scouting in the country.

Collegiate School Troop and Pack—Scoutmaster, G. H. Scarrett; assistant scoutmasters, L. Sykes, R. E. Honour. Headquarters, Collegiate School, Rockland Avenue. Meets every Wednesday 3:30 p.m. Band practice every Monday.

Oak Bay Troop—Headquarters, 1411 Mitchell Street, Oak Bay. Scoutmaster, Seymour de P. Greene; assistant, Lieut. W. A. Greene, R. A. F. Ambulance, Lieut. Ashbridge. Instructional courses: Wireless telegraphy, aerial, boxing, naval, physical work, first aid, scouting. First meeting, Saturday, March 6, 2 p.m. Full report of officers elected next week.

Granite Street Wolf Cub Pack—Cubmaster, Seymour de P. Greene; assistant, Lieut. W. A. Greene, R. A. F.; R. M. Greene, late R.C.N.V.R.; Lieut. Ashbridge, first aid; Lieut. Finlayson, band. Strength, sixty. Owing to Patrol leaders over twelve passing into the new Oak Bay Troop, new leaders have been chosen, acting rank being given as Sixers and new Seconds. Names, with Patrols, published next week. Pack leader, David Ogilvie, having joined the Oak Bay Troop, Sixer John Erb becomes Pack leader as the senior Sixer. Last Saturday the Pack, forty-nine strong, took a run out to Shoal Bay for scouting work with the band. On Friday a visit was paid to the Third Troop at the Willows instead of the usual indoor work. The Timber Wolves covered themselves with glory on Saturday for the second time in scouting. The Brown Wolves did very well also. This Pack has collected over half ton paper.

Scouting generally—Many boys are prevented from joining the Boy Scouts from fear that the uniform is expensive. The shirt and shorts can be worn when not scouting, so the only necessary articles are the pole, which can be cut by the boy, hat, neckerchief, haversack and shoulder knots. Any belt will do. Of course, boys are not refused admission to any Troop because they cannot afford to buy the uniform, but the boy feels he is not a full-blooded Scout until he is dressed as a Scout.

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SPORTING NEWS

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METROPOLITANS WIN GAME AT VANCOUVER

Defeat Millionaires on Their Own Ice by Score of 2-0, and Again Take Lead—Exciting Game Seen

VANCOUVER, March 8.—One of the largest crowds of the local hockey season tonight was forced to sit and watch Seattle trounce the pride of Vancouver in a game that grew in intensity every minute the battle waged, but the visiting defence withstood the herculean efforts of the Millionaires, even when the entire team, with the exception of Lehman, were trying to break through, and scampered into the lead by a count of two to nothing.

Better hockey has been seen here this Winter, but no struggle has been staged that pulsated with the energy that the rival players injected into the play in their efforts to get the edge on their opponents.

Seattle won the game on its merits. The fact that they had the better of the breaks was due to the fact that they took advantage of every opportunity that offered, and when it was not offering they made it.

On the other hand, the Millionaires should have scored at least triple the goals that Seattle turned in, but there were times when the winners, too, were content to partake of a similarly bitter potion. The Sound City team won the contest on their fiendish checking and the stellar work of Happy Holmes in the net, supported by brilliant combination and accurate shooting.

At that the Millionaires had their artillery playing on the Seattle citadel more often, but Holmes was unbeatable even when it appeared that a goal for Vancouver was inevitable.

The fact that Vancouver failed to pass the puck at psychological moments was in a measure accounted for by the dogged checking of the Seattle forwards. Every time the Vancouver line started a rush there was a Metropolitan player, hacking, hooking, poking at the puck until the disc was finally driven out of the danger zone.

Summary

First period: 1, Seattle, Murray, 19:09.

Second period: 2, Seattle, Foyston from Riley, 4:55.

Third period: No score.

Penalties

First period: None.

Second period: Seattle, Rowe, 10 minutes; Walker, 3 minutes.

Third period: Vancouver, Skinner, 10 minutes.

Substitutions

First period: Seattle, Murray for Tobin.

Second period: Murray (3 minutes after Rowe went off, delayed penalty system), Rowe for Murray.

Third period: Skinner for Taylor; Skinner for Adams; Adams (3 minutes after Skinner penalized 10 minutes).

Line-up

Vancouver	Position	Seattle
Lehman	goal	Holmes
Cook	defence	Rowe
Duncan	defence	Rickey
J. Adams	rover	Walker
Roberts	centre	Foyston
Skinner	r. wing	Tobin
Harris	l. wing	Riley
W. Adams	sub	Nichols
Taylor	sub	Murray

GEORGES MARRIED; DEMPSEY FIGHT WILL BE THE LAST

PARIS, March 8.—Georges Carpentier, heavyweight boxing champion of Europe, was married to Mademoiselle Georgette Laurentia Elsase at the city hall today. The religious ceremony will be celebrated at a parish church tomorrow. The civil marriage occurred some hours before the time originally set in order to avoid crowds.

The bride said after the ceremony that she did not like boxing and would not watch her husband fight for the championship. Francois Descamps, Carpentiers' manager, had previously announced her opposition would cause the match with Jack Dempsey to be Carpentier's final fight.

ANNOUNCE DATES FOR ALLAN CUP CONTESTS

Finals Will Be Played on March 26 and 29—The Hockey Juniors Will Be Busy Meanwhile

TORONTO, March 7.—Dates for the Allan Cup were announced here tonight by Secretary Hewitt. The winners of the Sons of Ireland vs. University of Toronto series will meet the O.H.A. champions in the Allan Cup semi-finals on March 22 and 24. On Friday, March 26, and Monday, 29th, the Eastern representatives and Falcons, of Winnipeg, at Fort William, will meet in the Allan Cup finals.

In the meantime the juniors will also be busy, Loyala College, of Montreal, will play the O.H.A. junior champions for possession of the O.H.A. Memorial Cup, won last season by University of Toronto Schools.

Selkirks, Western title holders, will play the winner in the final. In case the Arena here can be secured, Loyala College and the O.H.A. champions will cross sticks here next Saturday night.

Granites and Kitchener will attempt to settle the title race in group two on Wednesday night, and the successful team will play Hamilton on the latter's ice on Friday, with the return game here on Monday.

No Change Possible

MONTREAL, March 8.—Chairman Northey, of the Allan Cup trustees, interviewed today, stated that the book of dates showing when matches would be played had been in the hands of the clubs engaged since the beginning of the season. Protests should have been made earlier and now it was practically impossible to change the dates.

Sons of Ireland, of Quebec, will not play Varsity before March 16 at the earliest and there will then still be playoffs between Ontario and Western teams to be decided.

Hence an earlier date than March 27 for the Allan Cup finals does not seem to be possible.

WIN FOR VICTORIA WILL TIE UP LEAGUE

Hockey Game at Seattle Tomorrow Night Is Most Important of Season to Every Team in the Race

The Aristocrats, at the beginning of the season heralded as champions, and later in the season almost counted out of the race at one stage of the game, leave for Seattle today to wind up the most exciting schedule ever played on the Pacific Coast, to meet the Metropolitans in a game which the local fans believe will put them in the play off.

Whether the Mets won or lost last night made little difference to the importance of tomorrow night's fray with Muldoon's men on Seattle ice. The Aristocrats have to win or be counted out.

Seattle's victory last night has put the whole circuit on edge. Seattle, Vancouver and Victoria fans are all watching the result of the fray with greater interest than they have watched any other game this season. If the Aristocrats can come out on top the whole trio is as a tight as a vice, each with eleven games won and eleven games lost. This unanticipated contingency will mean that the league executives will have to get together and decide how the knot shall be unravelled.

In spite of the fact that the Aristocrats have not yet come away from Seattle with a game they take the trip full of confidence.

Interest Exceptional

So great is the interest in the struggle at Seattle Wednesday night that the ordinary methods of learning of the away from home contest will not keep pace with the excitement. A large number of Victoria fans following the race with their sporting instincts all on edge are making the trip to the Sound City. Vancouver is also sending over a party of fans keen on knowing at the earliest possible moment which team is liable to check the Millionaires' aspirations for the world's hockey crown.

Those who make the journey should not be disappointed in their hopes of seeing a hair-raising battle.

Victoria and Seattle always play more interesting games than Vancouver and Seattle, for the reason that the Aristocrats are more nearly of the size of the Metropolitan players. This makes it possible for the Seattle team to bodycheck to advantage against Victoria, while they must use speed against weight when playing Vancouver. A bump against a Victoria player is quite unlike a bump against a Vancouver player.

On the Vancouver forward line are Skinner with his 175 pounds, Harris with his 168, Roberts weighing 153, and Jack Adams turning in 184 pounds.

More of a Size

Victoria is cut more nearly to Seattle's size. Dunderdale will weigh around 155, Meeking around 156, and Oatman and Kerr around 166.

Walker weighs 148, Foyston 158, Riley 172 and Tobin 154 pounds.

Back of the line Vancouver has Duncan, doing 190, and Cook, turning in 180 pounds, opposed to Rowe and his 154 pounds and Rickey with his 170. Victoria is much heavier than Seattle on defense. Johnson weighs 190, Clem Loughlin 183, and Will Loughlin 180.

But Duncan and Cook are the best defense men in the league this year and that, added to their weight, makes it difficult for such little fellows as Foyston, Walker and Tobin to get by them.

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ALL-STARS PICKED TO MEET SELKIRKS

All Four Local Amateur Hockey Clubs Will Be Represented in the Line-Up Tomorrow Night

Five Senators, three Two Jacks, two Elks and two War Veterans are included in the twelve names selected for the choice of the Victoria All-Star team of amateur puckchasers to stack up against the fast traveling Winnipeg Selkirks, when for the first time Victoria fans will get an opportunity Wednesday night to see how local amateurs compare with visitors from the interior.

Some of the names will be eliminated before the final choice is made, although, probably, all the forwards will strip out ready to jump into the fray. The game goes the full sixty minutes, and, anticipating a stiff battle from the runners-up in the Manitoba Allan Cup elimination series, the Victoria manager wants to have seven fresh men on the ice all the time.

Percy Watson or Alex. Straith will be in the cage. The defence will be chosen from Riley (War Veterans), Cook (Elks), Wickson (Senators), and Tobin, of the Two Jacks.

H. Burnett and Dowd, both of the Senators, both of whom fit in either the rover or centre forward position, will fill these berths. How they will start remains to be decided. Harry Smith, of the Senators, and McDonald, of the War Veterans, are the two right wingmen named. Russell Oatman, of the Two Jacks, and Darrell Spence, of the Elks, are named for the left wing.

Spence is well up in the individual scoring table, having registered six times during the season. Oatman has only a couple to his credit, but during the last few weeks he has played such conspicuous games that his inclusion in the selection will create general approval.

A referee has not yet been named. The professional players will be in Seattle, so Clem Loughlin, who has been handling the whistle, will not be available. Capt. Dunsford gave general satisfaction last time he appeared in the referee's role, and may be asked to act again.

Aluminum is never found in the metallic state.

"YOU CAN'T COME AND PLAY IN OUR YARD"

Toronto Has Far Too Much Good Hockey to Be Excited Over Staging a World's Series—Tut-tut!

TORONTO, March 7.—The statement from Vancouver that the winners of the Pacific Coast League series will not consent to meet Ottawa in Toronto excites no interest here. There is too much good hockey on the cards. It is more than doubtful if the Arena could be secured to stage the Stanley Cup games. On Tuesday, March 16, and Thursday, March 18, Sons of Ireland, of Quebec, meet Toronto Varsity, total goals scored in the two games to decide the event. The winners are to play the winners in the O.H.A. on March 22 and 24 in the semi-finals for the Allan Cup and the finals for this trophy with the western champions are set for March 27 and 29. With such a programme served up to them for the balance of the month, Toronto hockey fans can hardly spare time to think about the professional end of the game, and the baseball season is not far off.

MAJORS TRYING OUT WESTERN CANADIANS

REGINA, March 7.—Two of Greater New York's baseball clubs seem to have a monopoly on the players sold to the major leagues last Fall by clubs in the Western Canada circuit. With the Yankees at Jacksonville, Fla., are Ralph Miller, Regina pitcher, and Chester Murphy, who was with Winnipeg in 1919. Reports from the camp carry the following excerpt with regard to Miller's initial tryout on the mound: "Ralph Miller, a tall, young southpaw, also warmed up and disclosed a fetching style which the others admired and pronounced of proper technique."

With Brooklyn, also training there, are Paul Beyers, catcher, and Bernie Nels, outfielder with the Quakers last season, and Wallie Hood, who was pitcher and outfielder for Moose Jaw in 1919.

As Griffith has retired from the game, Nels and Hood will fight for outfield positions along with Wheat and Myers. Henion, of Moose Jaw, was turned back by Brooklyn to Winnipeg. The other player sold last year is Pitcher George Gibson, of Regina, who is with the Athletics.

ALL-STAR TEAM AS PICKED BY REFEREE

Victoria Catches Two Places Out of the Seven in Ion's Selection—One Only in the Second Septette

First Team

Lehman	Goal	Vancouver
Cook	Defense	Vancouver
Duncan	Defense	Vancouver
Foyston	Rover	Seattle
Oatman	Right Wing	Victoria
Dunderdale	Centre	Victoria
Harris	Left Wing	Vancouver

Second Team

Holmes	Goal	Seattle
Patrick	Defense	Victoria
Rowe	Defense	Seattle
Walker	Rover	Seattle
Skinner	Right Wing	Vancouver
Taylor	Centre	Vancouver
Riley	Left Wing	Seattle

Above are Mickey Ion's selections for the season of all-star teams picked from the three clubs in the professional Coast hockey league.

It will be seen that out of the fourteen players only three Aristocrats are considered worthy of places. Taking the first team it was only natural that Ion should choose Lehman for the goal tending position. As a matter of fact to the ordinary impartial observer who cannot lay claim to the hockey knowledge and experience of Ion, it would appear that the three goal tenders of the league, although they each have a very distinct style, are so evenly matched in point of effectiveness that it would be difficult to say that either one is the best of the three. Cook and Duncan probably deserve, as Ion says, to be placed on the defense line of the mythical team, having played very steadily in form throughout the season, both at home and away. Foyston, of Seattle, is taken out of his regular place and put in as rover. Foyston is certainly one of the neatest and most effective players in the league, and Ion is probably quite justified, after watching his play all season, when he expresses the opinion that he would make the best rover of the bunch.

Oatman could hardly have been denied the honor of figuring on the right wing, especially on the form he has been showing in the last few matches, while Dunderdale, with his long lead in the individual scoring record, has proved himself the most effective man in this position this year, and it is probable that, if Tommy could eliminate certain faults, which must be obvious to any follower of the game who knows anything at all about team work, that he would have had an even bigger record. Victoria could hardly have helped to fill the left wing position on the all-star team. Meeking has done some excellent work at times and Kerr has shown that he is still a fine player whenever he has had the chance allowed him, but Harris has certainly been going great guns lately and has held the position steadily and well all through the race.

The second team is of course of less interest, but it will certainly be a surprise to many to see Patrick, popular as he is with the local fans, put in the defense ahead of Johnson, seeing that Lester Patrick has been figuring in the utility column for the most part while Johnson has been a regular, and a mighty useful one at that.

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CARPENTIER'S TOUR

NEW YORK, March 7.—Georges Carpentier, French heavyweight champion, will visit the principal cities of Canada while on his tour of this country under the management of Jack Curley. The tour will begin May 3 and will last ten weeks. It is possible that the Carpentier-Dempsey fight may be staged under Curley's auspices, if the big Californian gets his troubles with the United States government settled in the meantime.

Kennedy's Statement

MONTREAL, March 8.—Georges Carpentier's American trip will start on March 23, according to a definite announcement made today by George Kennedy, who, with Jack Curley, of New York, is handling the tour of this continent of the famous French boxer.

Curley and Kennedy, who had previously announced that they had Carpentier signed up for an American tour of ten weeks, state that when it is over they have an option on the services of the French boxer for an additional five weeks.

UNUSUAL PROTEST MADE BY WINNER OF BOXING MATCH

BUENOS AYRES, March 8.—The unusual circumstance of a boxer declared the winner of a bout protesting against the decision in his favor was witnessed last night at the close of a ten-round session between Young Cohen, of Boston, billed as featherweight champion of the American-Asiatic fleet, and Julio Perez, featherweight champion of Argentina. The referee at first gave the decision to Young Cohen, but on the latter's protest that he was not entitled to a victory, the official declared the bout a draw, amid cheers from the Argentine audience.

HAGEN BEAT BARNES

NEW ORLEANS, March 8.—Walter Hagen, of Detroit, national open golf champion, in a big rally defeated Jim Barnes, western open champion, of St. Louis, over the Country Club links here Sunday, one up in 37 holes.

OLD COUNTRY FOOTBALL

LONDON, March 8.—The draw for the English Cup semi-finals is: Huddersfield vs. Bristol City at Chelsea.

Chelsea vs. Aston Villa at Bramall Lane, Sheffield.

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OTTAWA, March 8.—Quebec almost surprised Ottawa tonight and led by 5 to 4 for a minute in the third period. Ottawa won 11 to 6. The feature of the game was the goal keeping of Big Harry Mummery of the Quebecs.

NANAIMO SOCCER

NANAIMO, March 8.—The Harewood Nine is also entering the City Football League, and the following officers were elected at a meeting Saturday night: Hon. presidents, R. Henderson, W. H. Moore; hon. vice-presidents, Arthur Mewberry, Arthur Chandler; president, H. Todd; vice-president, T. Hitchen; secretary, A. Bennett; treasurer, J. Wheatley; executive committee, Messrs. G. Carson, C. Calverley, W. Leigh, A. Odgers and R. Lawson; trainers, R. Jackson, A. Cook.

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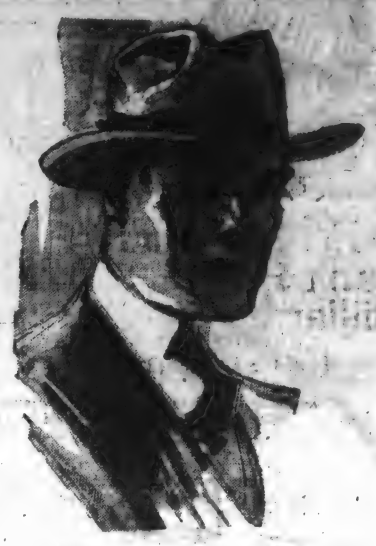
A glance around the table will likely indicate one or more who plainly look as if they anticipated the dyspeptic's mournful assemblage of distresses shortly after the meal is finished. Many a bon vivant, however, has learned how to leave the table in a happy frame of mind by the use of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets immediately after eating. And whether it was rich soup, pastry, cheese or dishes usually rated as "heavy," these tablets contain ingredients that digest food, assist the stomach in the work of digestion and supply the alkaline effect that the stomach requires. Thus before you conjure up the troubles that ordinarily would follow eating some favorite dish, try this plan of avoidance.

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City Championship Is Won by the Senators

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SKI CHAMPIONSHIP DECIDED AT OTTAWA

OTTAWA, March 7.—Arthur Pinault, of Ottawa, won the Eastern Canada championship at the Rockcliffe jump Saturday, defeating Frank McKinnon, of Montreal, by one point. E. Oliver, of Montreal, won the cross-country ski race, held today at Kingsmere, near Ottawa.

FRANK KRAMER STILL WELL IN THE RUNNING

NEW YORK, March 7.—Frank Kramer, veteran cyclist, professional sprint champion, once more demonstrated that he is far from being a back number. At Madison Square Garden Saturday night, against Spencer, he won two of the three heats. In the final, Spencer pressed the veteran closely, and Kramer won only by a half's breadth in an exciting finish.

TORONTO BEAT QUEENS' IN JUNIOR FINAL

TORONTO, March 7.—The University of Toronto defeated Queen's University here Saturday in the final game of the Intercollegiate Junior O.H.A. championship by a score of 5 to 2.

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League Standing

	W.	L.
Senators (city champions)	8	5
Elks	7	6
G. W. V. A.	6	7
Two Jacks	6	7

Before the largest crowd that has ever assembled to witness an amateur hockey match in the sporting history of Victoria, the Senators copped the Dudleigh Cup, emblematic of the City championship, by defeating the Elks by one goal to nil, at the Arena last night.

The game from the face-off was the fastest amateur match ever staged in the city. There was not a single dull moment through the entire game. Play was clean and both teams worked at full speed the whole three periods. For the first and second periods no goals were scored, but the third proved fatal for the Elks, when Wickson netted the disc after 13:57 minutes of play.

Great credit is due to "Vic" Gravlin, the Elks goalie, who played a wonderful game, and, had it not been for his keen eye the Senators would have perhaps won a greater victory. Though the Elks were trimmed, and lost the Dudleigh Cup, they put up an excellent fight.

The Senators were playing a better combination, and gave the Elks a good run. Every one of the Senators' men played real hockey throughout. Their defence was excellent and the forwards could not have played a better game.

Speedy From Start

At 60 miles per hour the game started, both teams hitting a cyclone pace. Play was give and take, Harry Smith made several brilliant individual shots, which did not take effect. The Elks missed several open shots. The trail was hot and both teams kept up a continual bombardment on each other. Burnett made a brilliant showing and gave the Elks' defence a lot of worry. Wickson started roughing it behind the referee's back, Gravlin stopped a bunch of well aimed shots, and when he was not busy clearing the goal he was directing the play. The Burnett-Smith combination caused the "antiered monarchs" a lot of worry and Cook, playing his usual brilliant game, gave Straith most of the worry this period. Alex Straith, in goal, could not have guarded the hemp better than he did. His eagle eye can pick out a shot from any angle without any trouble whatsoever.

The Battle Continues

With a jolt of renewed vigor and a grim determination to score the first goal the Senators and Elks continued their hair-raising game. George Straith was right there on the defence. The speed and fury of the Elks did not worry one gray hair in his head and the Cook-George defence was solid as iron. Stewart played circles around the Senators forwards and defence. He made attempt after attempt to net the missile but Straith had him eyed as the dangerous man. Irwin and Spence worked well together on the forward line and did a lot of effective work and play continued even, both teams checking hard. The Elks broke no fewer than three sticks during this period, which goes to show how strenuous was the work. Dowd and Hamm were responsible for giving Gravlin a lot of hard work.

The Final Period

With the score 0-0, and twenty minutes to go, the teams came on with blood in their eyes. Alex Straith was in the midst of continual bombardment, and the Elks kept up a hard "drive." Play was give and take, all players working at top speed. Fitzimmons came on for a short time, and he drove some well aimed shots nearly home. The Senators began to push the Elks a little harder until Wickson, on a pass from Hamm, planted the missile safe into the Elks' net. Play was faster than ever after this. Smith, of the Elks, was the Senators' biggest worry, and seemed to be in every mix-up on the ice. The Elks, in the eleventh-hour rush, just lined around the Senators' goal and poured shots in on Straith, who apparently, without the least bit of trouble, pushed them aside.

The teams lined up as follows:

Senators	Position	Elks
Straith	Goal	Gravlin
Wickson	L. Defence	Cook
G. Straith	R. Defence	George
Dowd	Centre	Spence
Hamm	L. Wing	Stewart
H. Smith	R. Wing	Smith
Burnett	Rover	Irwin
Quinn	Utility	E. King
Fitzimmons	Utility	

Goal summary: First period none; second period, none; third period, 1, Senators, Wickson 13:57. Total: Senators, 1; Elks, 0.

Penalties: None.

Timekeepers: Mr. Francis and "Ab" Lindsay.

Referee: Lester Patrick.

It is expected that the Senators will play for the British Columbia championship in Vancouver, on Friday night. Definite arrangements will be made today.

ONE PUTT EACH HOLE ENOUGH FOR GAMMONS

PALM BEACH, Fla., March 8.—A golf record that Walter Travis and others said was without parallel to their knowledge was made on the Palm Beach links by John W. Gammons, of Providence, R.I. Gammons made a round of 18 holes using only 18 putts, an average of one put to each hole. He used two putts on the fifth green and on the fourth his approach shot ran in for a two.

JACKSON HAS BETTER OF JOHNNY DUNDEE

JERSEY CITY, March 8.—Willie Jackson, of New York, tonight outfought Johnny Dundee, of New York, in an eight-round bout, having the better of six rounds with two even. Jackson weighed 133 pounds and Dundee 136 3-4. Dundee received considerable punishment in the final round.

CADDOCK AND LEWIS MATCHED FOR FINISH

NEW YORK, March 8.—After long wrangling, Earl Caddock, the former wrestling champion, and Ed. "Strangler" Lewis, have agreed to meet in a finish match at Madison Square Garden on Monday, March 15. The result of this struggle will decide who is the proper man to challenge Joe Stecher for the world title.

Golf Medal Offered

NEW YORK, March 8.—The Professional Golfers' Association of Great Britain, through its secretary, has offered a gold challenge medal to be competed for in a tournament to be held in the United States under the auspices of the American Association, the prefer being made in appreciation of benevolent acts of the American professional association during the war. It is proposed to have the medal in competition until won twice consecutively or three times in all, when it would become the property of the winner.

Football Meeting

A meeting of the Harbor Marine sports committee and football players will be held tonight at eight o'clock in the K. of C. Hut, Fort Street, to discuss important matters. All players are urgently requested to attend.

Welzer Beat Murphy

PHILADELPHIA, March 8—Benny Welzer, New York, defeated Jimmy Murphy, of Philadelphia, in a six-round bout tonight.

A disease among the Indians nearly depopulated the New England coast in the early seventeenth century.

"Quantum mutatus ab illo" (How changed from what it once was). Brentwood Hotel is under new management. Phone Keatings 31L.

COUNCIL DISALLOWS STREET SALE OF ROSES

Holds to Decision Against Tag Days Reached Earlier in the Year—Decline to Reopen Question Again

The City Council last night stood by its decision to allow no more tag days or street appeals for donations this year. The Municipal Chapter, I. O. D. E., applied for the privilege of selling roses, but on a 6-5 vote the Council declined to grant permission.

Ald. Johns contended that the application was different from other tag day requests. Roses were to be sold for a worthy cause, he pointed out, and people who wanted roses would have to buy them somewhere, anyway.

Ald. Fullerton seconded a motion moved by Ald. Johns that the request be granted, but opposition was voiced by Ald. Cameron.

"We should try to be consistent," declared Ald. Cameron. "We have turned down many requests because we set our policy early in the year and decided against further tag days. This rose day is just another name for a tag day. The roses are imported from England—I don't know why—and are to be sold here for charitable institutions. I think we should stay with our decision."

Ald. Sargent recalled that the Council had earlier in the year granted an application for the sale of violets on the streets, but Ald. Patrick explained that this was before the tag day ban was decided upon.

Ald. Sangster viewed the rose day request as "the thin edge of the wedge" for the opening up of the whole question. "We should cut them all out," he said.

Those who voted in favor of granting the request were: Aldermen Johns, Sargent, Todd, Fullerton and Mayor Porter. Against—Aldermen Sangster, Patrick, Cameron, Dower, Andrew and Dinsdale.

COLLIERIES APPEAL IS LOST AT OTTAWA

OTTAWA, March 8.—In the supreme Court this morning judgment was rendered in the following appeals:

British Columbia-Wellington Collieries vs. Pacific Coast Coal Mines, appeal dismissed with costs. Bryden and Mignault, J.J. dissenting.

Cochrane vs. Schathy, et al, appeal dismissed with costs.

The Nile begins to rise in June and continues to increase until about the end of September.

NEWCASTLE UNITED DECLINE THE INVITE

Con Jones Will Endeavor to Secure Some Other Crack Old Country Team to Tour Canada

TORONTO, March 7.—The Sunday World's Montreal correspondent wired Saturday that the D.F.A. officials last Monday received a cable from Con Jones stating that Newcastle United had declined the invitation to tour Canada this summer. No reason was given for the refusal, but Jones stated that he would be in Glasgow at the week-end and would endeavor to have the Glasgow Rangers or Celtics make the trip.

The World says: "Failing to secure a Scottish League club, Mr. Jones would go back to England and approach the following clubs in the order given: Everton, Chelsea and Aston Villa. These are all first division clubs, and would be big drawing cards on a tour across Canada.

"A cable is expected from Jones this week, announcing the team that will come to Canada, and then the D.F.A. tour can be mapped out and the financial arrangements completed."

When the foregoing was referred to E. Spencer, secretary of the D.F.A., tonight, he said that nothing official had yet been received regarding Newcastle. He would not be surprised, however, to hear that Newcastle United, on account of the poor showing they have made recently, had decided not to make the trip, and it also seemed to him that Glasgow Celtic, having lost to the Rangers yesterday, and being therefore out of the running, were much more of a probability.

NEW INVENTION BY HENRY FORD

Claims He Will Revolutionize Traction Transportation — Making Fuel Out of Straw—Wonderful Possibilities

The street railway and automobile worlds are both intensely interested in the new street railway cars of Henry Ford, which he claims will revolutionize traction transportation. It is maintained, for instance, that the new product can distance the Wolverine, the famous limited, from Detroit to Chicago. A Detroit correspondent sends the following account of a visit to the Dearborn tractor plant, where the new car is being assembled.

Leading the way to the testing plant, where the finishing touches were being given the motors that are to propel the car, Mr. Ford showed a four-cylinder of the horizontal type called the double-opposed. The cylinders were placed horizontally, instead of perpendicularly. This motor, explained the inventor, is designed to give 75 horsepower. This particular one produced 78 horsepower on the first test. It is mounted throughout on ball bearings.

Mr. Ford then showed another motor which consisted roughly of two of the first type of motors, joined end to end, thus forming an eight-cylindered motor. This second type is the one that will be tried out in the initial test, and will develop 150 horsepower. It is provided with an electric starter, an air compressor, and is compact in every detail. The motors burn either gasoline or kerosene.

Leafsprings are to be used on the trucks, which are of the double type. They are so designed as to receive the motor, which will be affixed under the floor of the car and controlled from a vestibule in front of the car, the same way electric cars are now controlled by motormen.

The body of the car is forty feet in length and weighs 8,000 pounds, and with the exception of seats, is fitted throughout in the conventional manner of street cars.

"There will be no fixed seats in this trial car," said Mr. Ford. "We will seat our guests that make the Detroit-Chicago trip in easy chairs.

"The great ponderous locomotive must go, and gas is the answer," he said, and laughed at the doubt expressed in some quarters that the gasoline car would prove impracticable in cities because of the frequent stops it would be called upon to make.

"How about those trucks there?" he asked, pointing to several automobile trucks standing near by. "They have got to tear around the city."

"I'm now making the best fuel my tractors can use, out of straw. I believe the day is coming when we will extract alcohol out of fruit for fuel, and use the rest as food. I'm putting up a $35,000 plant now to manufacture alcohol from straw alone."

MEN TO REPRESENT AUSTRALIAN PAPERS

VANCOUVER, March 8.—A cable to The Province from Sydney, N.S.W., says the following will represent Australian newspapers at the Empire press conference to be held next August in Canada:

E. E. Dunlevie, of The Sydney Sun; D. D. Braham, Sydney Telegraph; J. O. Fairfax, Sydney Herald; Theo. Fink, Melbourne Herald; Geoffrey Syme, Melbourne Age; Wm. Wright, Bendigo Advertiser; Charles Davis, Hobart Mercury; J. J. Knight, Brisbane Courier; Norman White, Brisbane Daily Mail; Sir Langdon Bonython, Adelaide Advertiser; G. H. Varley, Grafton Examiner.



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MR. DENHOLME AGAIN ASKS REINSTATEMENT

City Engineer Will Report Before Council Reaches Decision—Injured While Serving Corporation, Claim

Before acting on the application of Mr. John R. Denholme for reinstatement as foreman of the city's stables, the City Council will get a report from City Engineer F. M. Preston.

Mr. Denholme claims to have been dismissed as a result of temporary disability caused by an accident while in the city's employ. He stated that there was no truth in the insinuation that his recent illness was simply a continuation of an incurable complaint, which, he claimed, he did not have.

Mr. Denholme attached to his letter a note from Dr. E. W. Boak to the effect that Mr. Denholme's illness was brought about as a result of shock when he was thrown from a wagon a while ago.

Ald. Todd suggested that Mr. Preston make a report on the matter, as it was evident that the Council was misinformed about Mr. Denholme's trouble. He said that from his personal knowledge he knew Mr. Denholme to be efficient.

Ald. Sargent proposed a two months' leave without pay for Mr. Denholme, who claimed that dismissal looked to him like striking a man when he was down.

Ald. Dewar said Mr. Denholme was due to special consideration by the Council. He doubted whether workmen's compensation would be forthcoming if Mr. Denholme was dismissed.

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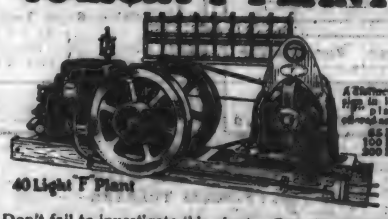
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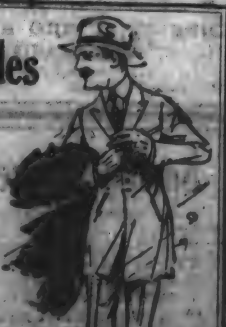


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At the Playhouses

PANTAGES BILL INCLUDES MIRACLE

One of World's Famous Magic Entertainers Share With Comedy in Headline Features This Week

The patrons of the Pantages bill of vaudeville for the present week will find entertainment to their liking. With two headline attractions and a variety of high class entertainment features, including magic, comedy, acrobatics, song and dance, as given at yesterday's performances, the proper "balance" is obtained for a decidedly entertaining programme, and probably a leading one in point of popularity among the best of the season.

The Great Leon, one of the world's best known and most famous magical entertainers and wonder workers, heads the bill. He is capably assisted by a new and original comedy-mystery spectacle. The act carries a carload of special scenery, gorgeous costumes and paraphernalia. The company presents a succession of bewildering illusions, weird mysteries, scenic surprises and unusual lighting effects, concluding with the most startling and sensational illusion ever attempted by a conjurer; a modern miracle.

Nell McKinley appears in a single act entitled "All in Fun." McKinley is a leader among "nut" comedians. His stories and songs are new and he possesses a splendid tenor voice, to say nothing of a personality which makes even the familiar greeting, "How do you do," sound funny.

The Lorner Girls prove a delight. They are pretty and have provided themselves with a beautiful stage setting, in which they sing and dance in a manner that is calculated to please the most indifferent audience. They have new songs, and they dress and dance on the order of the well-known Ford sisters. Their turn is regarded one of the best of its kind on the vaudeville stage this season.

Another interesting item is "The Four of Us," a "Quartette of Distinction." These boys have excellent voices, new songs and splendid harmony. In cities south of the line they have been "stopping the show" regularly. All their songs are quartette numbers with the exception of one, and their delivery is full of "pep" and "snap."

Allen Lindsay and company offer a comedy skit in which the principal figures are two rubes, a "bunco" man and an actress. The rubes are bill posters for the local opera house. Their antics are mirth provoking in the extreme. Mr. Allen, who plays the leading part in the act, played at the Winter Garden in New York, and also with the "Passing Show of 1917."

Vera and Tom Patts give a sensational display of aerial acrobatic tricks. Their offering can be described as a "triumph," and both members of the team are experts in their chosen profession.

The bill is introduced by the final, thrilling chapter of the popular Pantages serial picture, "Bound and Gagged."

COLUMBIA THEATRE If anyone at the Columbia Theatre attending the first showing of David Wark Griffith's greatest film production, "Hearts of the World," viewed the departure of all the splendid young manhood from the quaint little village in Northern France, around which the principal action of the drama revolves, without a tugging of the heart at "The Boy" and "The Girl" as the rumble of drums and call to arms broke in on their dreams, the heart of that individual was cold and dead. The explanation of the strong hold this picture has on the heart-strings of the audience lies in the fact that "Hearts of the World" dashed on the screen of a Victoria theatre for the first time yesterday, is that kind of a rare masterpiece in motion pictures that is able to grip and hold its spectators for more than two hours, through the adventures of the gallant Frenchmen, fighting against tremendous odds the war-crazed Huns of the enemy.

VARIETY THEATRE He had a wart on his proboscis and a hickey on one eye. He had an accumulation of dirt on his neck and a week's growth of beard. His face had not been washed since Noah was a prattling infant. The only redeeming feature about him was the way he looked out of his one eye. He came from the Bowery and was about the neatest person to be found in the whole length of that street of derelicts. He was offered a chance of work for fifteen minutes at something which required no energy, for which he was to be paid $5. He flew at the chance. He is but one of the characters who give realism to the big Fox special production of "Checkers," the famous racing melodrama, directed by Richard Stanton, and which is to be shown at the Variety Theatre all this week.

ROMANO THEATRE Little Joy rebelled at being the inspiration of her grandfather's sentimental poems, but she was helpless because her folks said she never could walk away from home until she became engaged. And she never was permitted to know any young people of her own age. And so she just declared she was engaged and named the man. What he did and how such a remarkable betrothal came out is charmingly told in "The Wishing Ring Man," the Vitagraph Star Release, which will be seen in the Romano Theatre today and tomorrow. The picture is adapted from the popular book of the same name by Margaret Widdemer, and Miss Love is presented in one of her strongest roles. "The Wishing Ring Man" was produced at Hollywood under the direction of David Smith.

ROYAL VICTORIA Katherine MacDonald, beautiful star of "The Turning Point," adapted to the screen from Robert W. Chambers' novel of the same name, which will be shown at the Royal Victoria Theatre again today, began her career at the bottom of the ladder. As a very young woman she was left with the responsibility of providing for a large family. The income was small and she faced her difficulties bravely, frankly and with a great cheerfulness of spirit. It was not long, however, before Miss MacDonald's great beauty and talent were recognized and her rise in motion pictures has been rapid.

The crash in the MacDonald family's fortune did not come, however, until after she had received her education at Blairsville College, Blairsville, Pa. Miss MacDonald's latest First National starring vehicle, "The Turning Point," in some respects offers a parallel of her own life.

COLUMBIA
TODAY
D. W. GRIFFITH'S
Supreme Triumph
"Hearts of the World"
Also
James J. Corbett
In "THE MIDNIGHT MAN"

DOMINION
TODAY
Double Attraction
Exploits of German Submarine U-35
Also
Mary Roberts Rinehart
In
23½ HOURS LEAVE

ROYAL
TODAY
Katherine MacDonald
In
"The Turning Point"
Sunshine Comedy
THE MERRY JAILBIRDS

ROMANO
TODAY
Bessie Love
In
The Wishing Ring Man
Also
Wm. Duncan
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AMUSEMENTS TODAY

The Stage
Princess Theatre—"Officer 666."
Pantages—Vaudeville.

The Screen
Dominion—"German Submarine U-35."
Variety—"Checkers."
Columbia — D. W. Griffith's "Hearts of the World."
Romano—Bessie Love in "The Wishing Ring Man."
Royal Victoria—Katherine MacDonald in "The Turning Point."

WILL SOON OPERATE DOMINION THEATRE

Famous Players Canadian Corporation Will Be in Control of Yates Street Picture House

It is understood that arrangements have been completed for the operation of the Dominion Theatre by the newly organized Famous Players Canadian Corporation, which plans operation of a chain of thirty odd theatres from the Pacific to the Atlantic, the whole forming the most extensive system of motion picture theatres controlled in Canada by one corporation.

The organization of Famous Players Canadian Corporation is perhaps the most important development that has yet taken place in the Canadian motion picture field.

Though control of the new Corporation is in Canadian hands, close working arrangements have been made with Famous Players-Lasky Corporation of New York, producers of the popular Paramount Artcraft films and the largest motion picture producing organization in the world. The Famous Players-Lasky Corporation makes a large cash investment in the Canadian Company and also grants it a twenty-year franchise for first-run exhibition of films produced by the New York Corporation.

The Canadian Corporation already operates about twenty motion picture theatres, including six in Toronto, two in Vancouver, one in Victoria, and others in the West and in Ontario.

The financing of the Canadian Corporation is being carried through by Royal Securities Corporation, Limited, of Montreal, and includes an issue of $4,000,000 of 8% Cumulative Preferred Shares, the bulk of the proceeds of which will be expended on the construction of large motion picture theatres in leading Canadian cities, such as Montreal, Ottawa, Quebec, Winnipeg, Regina, Calgary, Edmonton, Saskatoon, Moose Jaw and Vancouver.

Directors of Famous Players Canadian Corporation include men prominent in the financial and business world, the majority of whom are Canadians. Something of the strength of the financial interests behind the new Corporation are indicated by the presence on the Board of Sir Herbert S. Holt, President, Royal Bank of Canada; W. D. Ross, Director, Bank of Nova Scotia, and I. W. Killam, President, Royal Securities Corporation.

It is understood that the securities of Famous Players Canadian Corporation will be listed on the Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchanges, and are now being offered privately to clients of Royal Securities Corporation.

The close association of the Canadian Corporation with Famous Players-Lasky Corporation of New York assures the people of Victoria of the very best class of moving picture entertainment available, including British and French as well as American films, provided in a comfortable and up-to-date motion picture theatre.

London Freight Sheds Burned

LONDON, Ont., March 8.—Fire of unknown origin wrought complete destruction to the Grand Trunk freight sheds and eight freight cars loaded with merchandise. The damage exceeds $200,000.

DOUBLE FEATURE AT THE DOMINION

Douglas MacLean and Doris May Present Charming Artcraft Story, "Twenty-three and a Half Hours' Leave"

Two new co-stars hold the screen at the Dominion Theatre for the current bill in a Thomas H. Ince production entitled "Twenty-three and a Half Hours' Leave," which is released as one of the Paramount-Artcraft pictures. Douglas MacLean and Doris May are the names, and while many photoplay-goers of this city may remember them from previous subjects in which they have appeared, this is the first time that they have blossomed forth as stars. Mr. MacLean has appeared opposite such popular screen personalities as Mary Pickford and Dorothy Dalton, while Miss May, under the name of Doris Lee, appeared with Charles Ray in a number of that popular actor's notable pictures.

It is a happy co-starring team which these two players provide. They have youth, good looks and plenty of personality and it is practically a foregone conclusion that future pictures of theirs will be eagerly sought after when the merits of "Twenty-three and a Half Hours' Leave" are considered.

The present picture is splendid light comedy, with a strong romantic interest, and centres around a training camp in which men were prepared for the recent war. "Twenty-three and a Half Hours' Leave" does not, however, have any war atmosphere. It is pure fun and romance from first to last and is remotely removed from anything in the least gruesome or foreboding. It is an adaptation from a story by Mary Roberts Rinehart, recently published in one of the popular national magazines. Mrs. Rinehart is an author who is constantly in touch with the wants of the public and her "Twenty-three and a Half Hours' Leave" is proof conclusive of this statement.

The stars appear as William Gray, a sergeant of the training camp, and Peggy Dodge, the daughter of the general in command. Their first meeting comes just after Gray has been severely reprimanded by General Dodge because the young man's pet dog had flown at the officer and taken a small piece out of his leg. But such a little thing doesn't prevent Bill and Peggy from falling deeply in love. How the romance progresses to the tune of any number of complications that would arise in an army training camp, complications that any returned soldier may vouch for as humorous when applied to a romance, it is not for us to relate here.

The official record of the operations of the German undersea boat "U-35" is the other great feature of the Dominion's double bill this week.

"A FINE SHOW" IS THE POPULAR VERDICT

Second Performance of "Officer 666" at the Princess Theatre Takes Place Tonight—A Capital Play

The second performance of "Officer 666" takes place tonight at 8:30 and, what was predicted a surprise and a "winner" was actually proved on Saturday night last, when the initial performance was given.

The audience was pleased—it cheered and cheered again. Everyone remarked "a fine show," and each wended homeward thoroughly satisfied with a performance that would have been a credit to any first class professional company.

As has already been mentioned Mr. Hincks is at his best, Mr. Allwood, who scored so great a success in his clever dancing in "Alice," is again to the fore with a very finished rendering of the part of Dawes, Gladwin's not overbright but very comical and faithful friend. He is to be congratulated on his excellent rendering of the part.

Miss Butler has more than made good the anticipation that she would prove equal to the difficult acting of a girl, who, having fallen in love with the wrong man, recognises her mistake in time. Miss Stuart-Robertson plays a small part with quiet humor, and very naturally. One would wish

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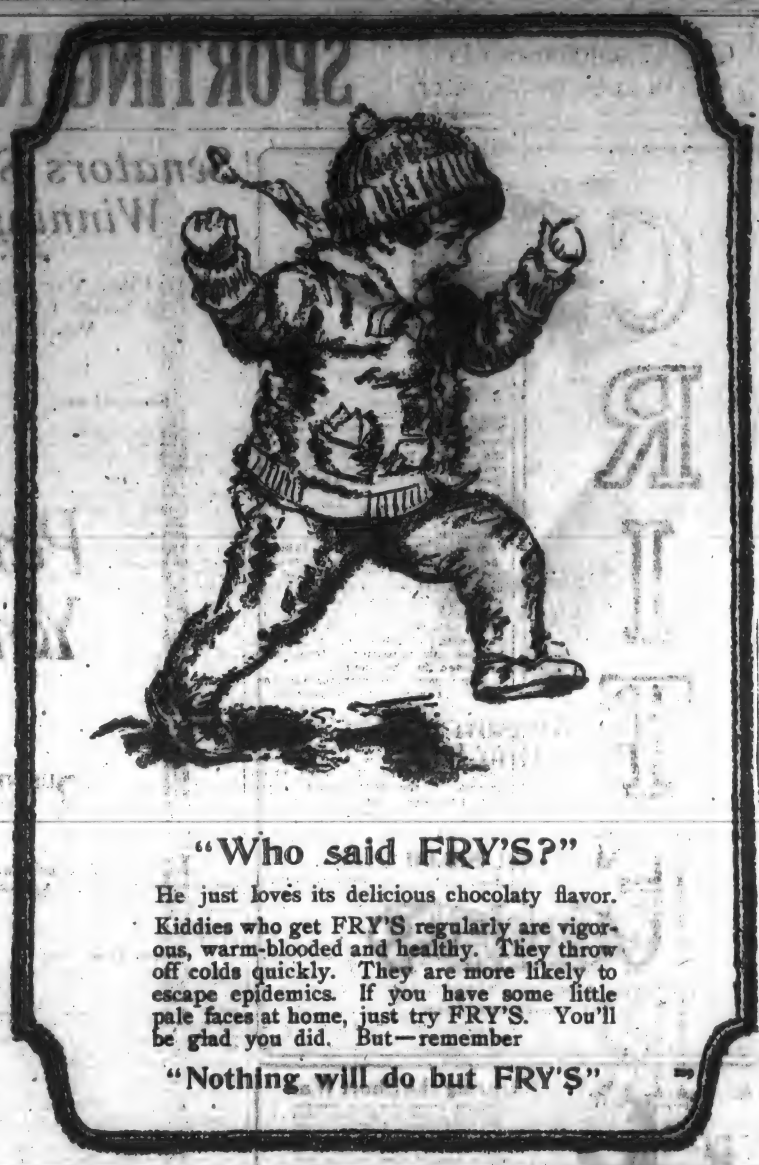


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there was more of it. Regarding the minor parts, Capt. Turnbull plays a very dignified and determined Chief of Police, who feels that the safest plan is to get everybody to the police station, when doubtless he would have methods of his own in extracting the desired information. The part of Kearney is taken by that experienced actor, Mr. S. T. Hankey, and is an excellent character study of the part of a real detective.

Mr. McCallum, Gladwin's treacherous man servant, is now well known to Victorian audiences. Mr. McCallum handles the difficult situations in which he is placed in his usual masterly manner. Master D. Campbell and Mr. D. Rimes play the Japanese boy and a policeman, respectively, and have evidently devoted much time to the study of their small parts.

And now, last but not least, comes the real Officer 666. Mr. R. T. Ward of "mad hatter" fame plays this part for all it is worth in his most inimitable manner. From the moment he comes on to the stage, in every comical and complicated situation in which he is placed, he keeps the audience in a roar of laughter. He times his uniform, his $500 note, his job, gets them back and loses them again, but he never loses the attention of his audience for a moment. The orchestra renders very charming selections, the stage setting is a work of art, seldom has a prettier one been seen, whilst as to wardrobes, Mrs. W. Talyer is again responsible for the admirable handling of these.

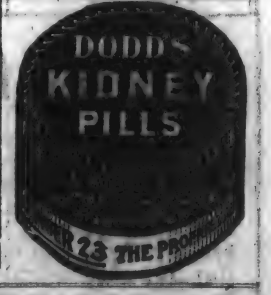


Held by Villa for Ransom

EL PASO, Tex., March 8.—Joseph Williams, an employee of the American Smelting Refining Company plant at Pedriceña, Mexico, is a captive in the hands of Francisco Villa, held for $50,000 ransom, according to passengers from Southern Chihuahua, who have reached Juarez.

Aerial Passenger Service

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the right direction; and by Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Minister of Lands, who resented the insinuation of the Opposition declaring he could, if he desired, return the compliment, and stating the present government had had occasion to lift reserves created by the former government for one reason or other, on lands comprising nearly one-half the Province.

On the motion for the second reading the Opposition called for a vote, which resulted in the Conservative minority being supported by Mr. G. G. Hanes, Liberal member for North Vancouver, the while the substantial majority of the Government was swelled by the support of Mr. Hawthornthwaite, Socialist, and the soldier vote.

The Difference

The principle involved in the bill, Mr. Ross believed, indicated the fundamental difference between the policies of the Government and the Opposition. For the first time since the existing Mineral Act was passed years ago there was to be a serious invasion of the rights of the prospector. Whatever crimes the late government might be accused of in connection with the administration of the mining regulations, the virtual elimination of the granted rights of the prospectors could not be said to have been one of them. It had not been deemed wise to make any such amendments except such as the exigencies of the case required. The result had been that the mining laws of British Columbia had received the highest commendations from those interested in the industry.

There were, the member for Fort George believed, many weaknesses in the proposed policy of placing reserves upon the iron ore lands. He was surprised to see that the members for Fernie and Saanich were prepared to swallow the bill "hook, bolus and sinker," particularly the latter, whose interest in the development of the iron and steel industry was well known, but who appeared willing to base his reason for his support upon the fact that he had implicit confidence in the Minister of Mines. It was evident those members had not grasped the real intent of the bill.

It was the clear intention of the bill, Mr. Ross asserted, to take away from the Legislature its right to administer the iron area of the Province and to fix the royalties. The enforcement of the regulations should not, he argued, be placed in the hands of any one Minister or of the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council. That was a policy to which the present administration appeared partial, as witness the case of the coal lands held out of reserve in respect of which similar powers were conferred upon the Minister of Lands by the bill passed in 1917. No reserve was created under that bill until February 5 of this year. On February 10, the bill before the House was introduced. The net effect was to place control of the two great natural resources of coal and iron with the Ministers of Lands and Mines, who would have the final say in respect of the two main components that go to make up the iron and steel industry. Would the member for Saanich agree to such a condition, Mr. Ross asked. This control by the two Ministers, coupled with the fact that an applicant for rights was friendly with them, would have much to do with such applicants securing consideration, he suggested.

Is Curious

Mr. Ross, referring to the hope expressed by the member for Fernie that the present Government would develop into an industrial government, asked in what respect the administration, so far as the Mines Department was concerned, has ever leaned towards industrial rather than political ends. The House had been informed that similar legislation was in force in Minnesota but there was no analogy, for there the mining industry had been carried on for fifty years on a commercial basis with all the accessories, making it an established industry; in British Columbia on the other hand, the iron resources have not even been touched in a commercial way so far. That being so, would any advance be made by placing the control of the coal and iron resources wholly in the hands of two Ministers?

Mr. Ross claimed there was no essential improvement in the administration of the Mining Act now over that of the former government. Then the Legislature had met requirements when they arose. He pointed to the case of a reserve placed upon radium at the 1914 session, a step which met the exigencies of the war, the Legislature creating the reserve and offering a reward of $5,000 to the prospector who found that most desired element. But that was a policy of development; the present step was one retarding development, he contended.

There was much comment, Mr. Ross averred, concerning the policy announced in the bill, comment arising greatly from the fact that the Minister, on the second reading of the bill, did not take the House into his confidence. Had he devoted as much time to doing so as he had, when he moved his motion relative to the Geological Survey, in criticising the Federal authorities, the House would have been benefited. It was being noted outside this House that there has been an element of secrecy in the way the Government of the day is handling the natural resources of the Province; it was even suggested that a syndicate of Yukoners, men from the district in which the two Ministers had formerly been interested, and friends of theirs, were contemplating a raid upon the iron resources of the Province. The bill was along lines that would be of assistance to them. There could be no doubt that the public was regarding the bill with a great deal of suspicion.

Hope Opposition

Mr. Charles Nelson, Slocan, seconding the Opposition Leader, in his remarks on the bill last week, of an attempt to make political propaganda. The latter had stated the bill was a retrograde step and that the Minister of Mines had inaugurated the principle of placing reserves upon the mineral resources. Now the member for Fort George came forward to state a reserve had been placed on radium at long ago as 1914, for war purposes. But, he stated, the then government must have had a wonderful prescience, for that reserve was placed by the Legislature in March of that year and the war had not broken out until the following August. He could see nothing of a blanket nature in the provisions of the bill. If the statement by the Minister that the reserves and the cancellation thereof would only be done in the public interest, were disputed, then the only conclusion that could be reached was that His Honor, because he was advised by a Liberal administration, would not act in the best interests of the Province.

Mr. Nelson protested against the "scare methods" he alleged are being used by the Opposition to create the impression that the Government is opposed to the development of the natural resources of the Province; he took pooh-pooh the assertions that the prospectors would be adversely affected, declaring that under the old law what the prospector got so far as the iron resources were concerned was negligible. He quoted from a letter of the president of the Prospectors' Protective Association to show that that individual was in hearty sympathy with the bill, as one which would result in the utilization and development of the iron ores on a commercial basis. He opined the Minister of Mines would not find it hard to improve upon the record of the former government so far as the iron industry was concerned, and that the public would be ready enough to forgive a mistake if any were made in an honest effort to promote such development, but would not agree to a continuance of the same policy of inactivity shown by the former administration.

It might be advisable, Mr. J. H. Hawthornthwaite suggested, to specify the iron ores to be reserved. Some ores contained gold, and these might be left out. For the past thirty-five years, he stated, there had been talk of establishing an iron industry in British Columbia. The Conservatives had been in power for sixteen years and it was true they had preserved intact the iron ores. It would have been better had they made some use of them. He contrasted the policy of the Liberals in opposition in 1904, when they opposed an increase in the license fees on the ground that such a step would hurt the prospector, though he had taken the stand that such an increase would make no difference because the prospector could not pay the then fee of $50, and there had been no instance where one had done so for the privilege of staking coal lands. It was always some middleman who paid it will cent out the prospector. Today the Liberals were taking a different view; they proposed, in the case of coal and iron, to eliminate the middlemen and deal direct with the capitalist.

Socialist Commendation

Mr. Hawthornthwaite gave the members of the Cabinet a certificate of character, stating he believed them to be, personally, as honest as those of any previous cabinet, and he deprecated the insinuations and general charges, not one of which, he said, had been sustained. He recalled suggestions he had made some years ago respecting the handling of the mineral resources of the Province, one of which was the placing of a reserve upon gold. If the present Government possessed the nerve and enterprise to reserve large areas known to be rich in auriferous properties and develop them itself, a revenue of tens of millions could be secured. If Germany had owned the mountains of British Columbia, would she not have developed them to the utmost possible? The Conservatives had adopted the old system of allowing the speculator to have his chance; the present Government had done better and is prepared to deal direct with the capitalist. But neither policies went far enough. But at that, Mr. Hawthornthwaite admitted, if the policy proposed by the bill was carried far enough and was honestly administered, it would produce results. In view of the present financial position of the Province—he was sure the Premier would not dare to sell the farmers another surtax—a proposal—something more must be done and the bill was a step in the right direction. The late Conservative government had been largely responsible for present conditions. Much had been heard from the Opposition Leader about the policies of the McBride government, but would he admit that he was responsible for putting that government out? If the present government would only have the courage to borrow eight or ten millions and itself develop the gold lands, the present great burden of taxation would be materially relieved, he asserted.

Hon. Mr. Pattullo, Minister of Lands, quoted from a memorandum to show just what has been done by the late government in the alienation of the natural resources. Recently the Government had lifted reserves created by that government for one reason and another, covering nearly half the Province. He expressed his surprise that his usually good natured friend, the member for Fort George, should seek to create the impression that there is, or will be, wrong doing under the powers conferred by the 1917 and the present acts. He declared he could, if he desired, return the compliment.

Mr. Ross: "I had no idea that my reference to the Yukoners would make my friend the Minister appear so supercilious."

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ORIGIN OF WELSH IS TRACED TO ISRAEL

Cymrodorions Listen to Interesting History of Their People at St. David's Day Celebration Here.

Pride of race is not instinctive. It is nourished by tradition and environment—sometimes by a consciousness of superiority, sometimes merely by a sense of distinction as to language, customs, history and physical characteristics. The Welsh people typify the last-mentioned aggregation. Probably most of them accept their estate without much question, and such a glimpse into their ancient past as was given by Mr. D. O. Lewis at the St. David's Day celebration here last Monday night came as a very interesting revelation of the origin of a people which has retained distinctive identity through many centuries of shifting political and economic events which have tended to change and universalize the neighboring areas of England.

Mr. Lewis's object was to show how the most progressive historians of today trace the Welsh back to the Hebrews. Rawlinson, the Egyptologist, discovered, among other things of interest which he has given the world, a slab in a pavement at Nineveh telling of the receiving by Pul, King of Assyria, of tribute from the children of Khumri. (Cymri, it is well known, is the Welsh for "tribe"). Another great explorer found at Babylon inscriptions on an obelisk in which it stated that tribute was received from Jehu, the son of Khumri, "in vessels of gold, by me, Shalmanesar Second."

From numerous tablets found Khumri was the name given by the Assyrians to Samaria, and means (as the phonetically similar word means in Wales today) "The Tribes."

Shalmanesar having taken three tribes of Israel captive, the remainder decided to forsake idolatry and go into an uninhabited land, there to observe the law which they had not faithfully kept in their own country. This, said the speaker, was in 720 B.C. In the records which the historians have found description is given of these people starting on their journey, making the exodus by way of the source of the Euphrates and thence across the Araxes River and after a lengthy period of years to Ar Sareth.

Ar, the first syllable of this word, means a Highland or high country, and the name is retained to the present time. This, therefore, definitely located the home of these people as the country lying between the Caspian and Black Seas.

"Strange to say, Herodotus, the Greek historian, writes of the Scuthai as occupying this very country in or about the year 670 B.C.," noted Mr. Lewis. "This would be about seventy years after the tribes were taken into captivity by Shalmanesar."

The term Scuthai, although having a Greek plural ending, is really derived from the Hebrew word "to wander," and is evidently the name by which these people called themselves.

Herodotus had also stated that these people did not rear swine and would not permit swine to live in their country, which would lead one to conclude that they belonged, evidently, to the Israelitish peoples mentioned in Esdras, one of the Books of the Apocrypha, as having taken up their abode in this locality.

Three Migrations

"There were three great movements across Europe from the East to the West," said Mr. Lewis. "The Celts, who are mentioned as having lived to the north of the Caspian and Black Seas and as being driven out by the Scuthai, and the Huns and Tartars. The Celts made their way across Europe, some settling in a portion of the country to the east of the Rhine, others went to Britain, and Julius Caesar speaks of the original inhabitants of the island as being an entirely different people to the Brythons or Britons. The Scuthai again dispossessed the Celts of their holdings and settled themselves in Gemany and in certain northerly portions of France. These are the people who are called the Belgii by the Romans. We find in the opening lines of Caesar's Commentary, Book One, 'that all Gaul is divided into three parts, of which the Belgii inhabit one, the Aquitani another, and the third by a people which call themselves Celtii.'

"So these Celts were evidently considered a different race to the Belgii by the Romans," remarked Mr. Lewis.

Prior to their intercourse with the Romans in that part of Germany in which they settled these Belgii referred to had on many occasions beaten the Roman soldiers in the course of their migration across Europe. Some of these Belgii then migrated to Britain and drove the Celts first away from the southern portion of what is now England, giving the name of Britain to that portion of the country. These were the Brythonic (Briton) Cymry (or Khumri), who gradually dispossessed the Celts of their holdings, and at the time of Caesar only a portion of Britain (Wales) was inhabited by the Celts. The name Belgii, given by the Romans, is supposed by some historians to have been given on account of their worship of Bel.

"These Belgii who settled in Britain, when the Romans were attacking their kindred in Germany, were accustomed to cross the English Channel to the support of their kinsmen. Hence Julius Caesar's determination to conquer and invade Britain."

Third Movement

"The third movement across Europe was that of the Huns and Tartars, of whom we have descendants living at the present day in certain parts of Germany. (The Saxons are not descendants of Huns, but of the Scuthai, who settled there and who came from the Euxine Country)."

Mr. Lewis remarked on the resemblance of Welsh and Hebrew. This was apparent in the construction of the sentences in both languages, while many of the words were very similar. The intercourse of the Cymry with the Greeks could also be readily realized by the same test, many Greek and Welsh words being very much alike. The Greek for sun, for instance, is "Helios;" the Welsh is "Haul" (pronounced Hyle). The words for water had practically the same sound in Greek and Welsh, although the spelling to an English ear does not suggest this, the former being Hudor, the latter Dwi. Another curious evidence bearing out the contention of the modern historians is the statement of Taliesin, the Welsh bard, who in the third century wrote that the Welsh could read and speak Hebrew.

The distinctions between the Celts and Khumri (Cymry) were physical as well as lingual, the former being dark, small and excitable; the latter fair, tall and physically powerful.

Additional to what Mr. Lewis told the Cymrodorion Society at its St. David's Day celebration last Monday night it may be interesting to Scotsmen as well as Welshmen to add that most encyclopedias remark the fact that in the fifth century Cunedda Wledig, from the neighborhood of Edinburgh, settled in Wales, probably by the invitation of the Welsh chieftains, in order to repel the Irish piratical invaders. It is from this stock that most of the subsequent rulers of Wales were descended. St. David, the patron saint of Wales, was of his family.

WONG WING AND CO. DO NOT CONVINCE

Fail to Impress Magistrate Yesterday With Innocent Tale of Their Opium Smoking.

To the metrical cacophony of their called names, Ching Chung, Wong Bue and Wong Wing, George Wing and Yung, in the City Police Court yesterday, pleaded not guilty to the charge of being found last Sunday afternoon in an unlawful opium joint, on the third and fourth floors of 549 Fisgard Street. Quin was also called, and was answered for by Mr. W. C. Moresby, who said that his client was sick and desired to plead guilty. Quin was disposed of by way of a fine of $15 and costs. This was a great relief to all parties in court, the unanimous feeling being that to have seven Chinamen on one docket in an illegal opium case was to put a greater tax upon the Occidental intellect than it could well bear.

After the court had struggled with the problem—usual in a case involving more than two Chinamen—as to who was who of the Chungorous and Wingwongful sextette, and the three hailed sheep had been separated from the unhailed goats in the dock, Sergeant Fry of the City police force took the witness stand. The sergeant, who specialises in opium raids, deposed to invading the alleged joint, himself by way of a ladder to the third story back window, and his squad of six constables by the more conventional stairway, at about 2:40 o'clock on Sunday afternoon.

The sergeant's testimony was confirmed by that of various members of his raiding squad. They had encountered heavy doors, five inches thick, which refused to open at the first knock. They had had to smash barred trap-doors between the two floors. They had seen and chased four other Chinamen, besides those captured, who had thrown incriminating opium paraphernalia from the upper windows, but had managed to escape capture by leaping to the windows of an adjoining building, across the chasm of a narrow alleyway between.

Exhibits Produced

And this testimony was further confirmed by the spoils of the invasion, visible to the eye, and, apparently, so evident to the olfactory sense of Magistrate Jay that, after the briefest inspection, he ordered them removed from the courtroom. These were the most malodorous and villainous looking details of an opium smoking equipment. And, more convincing than any paraphernalia, were the assembled Wongs and Chings, taken, so said the police, in the article and act.

The assembled Wings and Chungs, however, did not agree. They followed each other in mournful procession to the witness box, and successively treated His Honor—who evinced a lively interest in a new version of an old story—to a free exposition of the ancient art of tribal truth telling. Ching said he was not smoking opium, because it took a rich man to smoke opium, nowadays. George Wing, of Medicine Hat, said he was a glassworker, and seemed surprised that that simple little explanation had not cleared up all opium smoking difficulties in the mind of the court. And then came Wong Sue, who was learning to be a tailor; and had been arrested for smoking opium before, but was as innocent then as now.

Yung only came to Victoria last Friday. He did not smoke opium, because, Your Honor, he was a dishwasher, and he smoked cigarettes. And Ching had just dropped in from the James Island explosive works, and here he was, blasted in his innocence by this outrageous opium charge. And last of all was Wong Wing, reluctantly impelled by the others to add his Pellon of candor to this celestial Ossa of sincerity.

The innocent six paid an extra $5 for the privileges of the witness box, Magistrate Jay sentencing them to a fine of $30 and costs each.

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FAMILY PERISHES IN TORONTO FIRE

TORONTO, March 8.—A family of four was wiped out in the northwest section of this city through the explosion of a can of benzine, followed by fire.

The victims were: Albert Foster, aged 36, a tailor; his wife and their two children. The mother and children perished in the kitchen, where the explosion occurred, but the father lived until 7 o'clock last evening, when he died in the Toronto Hospital.

Dinner was being prepared in the kitchen when the tragedy occurred. It is thought Foster was trying to fix a spout in a can of benzine, and was standing too close to the stove, which caused it to explode.

In the days of King Alfred, England reckoned the hours by the length of time taken to burn a wax candle of certain length.



Vancouver Island News

BRIEF NEWS NOTES

NANAIMO, March 8.—The Merchants' United Football Club was organized Thursday evening, the players to don red sweaters and white pants. The officers are: Hon. Presidents, Geo. S. Pearson and S. H. Catt; President, John Steele; Vice-President, H. Thorneycroft; Secretary-Treasurer, R. H. Dinsmore. Executive, J. Henderson, J. H. Edge Partington, Rev. P. Kelly, James Rennie, J. Gardner, Arthur Thatcher.

St. Andrew's Church choir announces a grand choir concert next Thursday, the 11th, and the Nanaimo Minstrels will give two nights of entertainment on the 11th and 12th.

A Post of the Native Daughters of British Columbia will be instituted next Tuesday evening at the Foresters' Hall, when several of the officers of Post No. 1, of Vancouver, will be in attendance.

Rev. B. H. Balderston conducted the funeral service of Mrs. Wm. English at the family residence, Nicol Street, the pallbearers being Messrs. J. Kenmuir, D. Parse, R. Peck, J. Reid, J. Phillips and J. Gavin.

The funeral of Mrs. Robert Smith was held yesterday, the burial being conducted by Rev. W. H. Vickes, the pallbearers being Messrs. M. Prendergast, J. E. Parrott, J. D. Ross, J. Harrison, C. Oliver and R. Blain.

Mr. Herbert C. Shaw has restored his Mons star and ribbon.

Mr. Joseph Harvey, of Vancouver, has taken a position with the Nanaimo Meat and Produce Co., and will remove his family here.

Mrs. David Mottishaw, on the eve of her departure to join her husband at Courtenay, was tendered a surprise party Thursday evening at her home, Selby Street.

Rev. J. K. Unsworth returned yesterday from moderating a call by the Sandwick congregation to Rev. Thos. Menzies, their acting pastor.

Mr. C. B. McKinnon and Capt. E. V. Best attended the father and son banquet in Cumberland Thursday evening, returning yesterday.

Mr. Harry Falk has accepted a position with Cunningham, the Vancouver druggist, and will take up his work in a few days.

Mr. R. R. Sterling left Thursday on a business trip to Seattle.

Mrs. Tilt and family, Townsite, left yesterday to take up their residence in Vancouver.

The High School Terpsichorean Club gave a dance last night at Young's Hall, when one hundred and twenty guests were present.

BRIEF NEWS NOTES

NANAIMO, March 8.—As members of the Government or Opposition or irreconcilable cross-benchers, the men of the G. W. V. A. Debating Club are forming themselves into a Mock Parliament, the initial sitting of which will be held tonight.

Rev. W. Vance solemnized a marriage on Saturday morning between Miss Mary Simpson and Mr. Thomas Hitchin, both of this city. Mrs. Louisa Rogers was matron of honor, while Mr. William Leigh supported the groom.

Miss Dorothy McKenzie, of Nanaimo, was the guest of honor at a dance given on Thursday evening by Mrs. Graham McIvor at her home on Shaughnessy Heights, Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. James Capstaff, of 608 Kennedy Street, and about twenty friends held a North Country reunion on Saturday night at the former's residence.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Gerhard left last week for a six months' trip to the Old Country.

Hon. William Sloan spent the week-end at his home on Stewart Avenue.

Soldier Delivers Addresses

NANAIMO, March 8.—Capt. T. P. Best, of the Y. M. C. A. overseas service, who spoke three times yesterday, made a profound impression upon his audiences, who will look forward to his return visit next Friday, when he will address a men's meeting on "The Aims and Achievements of the Y. M. C. A." From the very front trench dugouts he brings a vivid story of the conditions under which our soldiers fought, their bravery and what they have now a right to expect of the people who stayed at home. His engagements yesterday were at Wallace Street Church in the morning, at the G. W. V. A. rooms in the afternoon, and at St. Andrew's in the evening.

Pale-Cheeked Girls Tired-Out Women Quickly Built Up

WONDERFUL RECORD MADE BY NEW BLOOD-FOOD REMEDY

Certain Results Guaranteed.

Pale people have pale blood. In other words, the blood is watery and lacks red corpuscles.

The stomach is upset. Assimilation is poor and food is not changed into blood. Naturally the system is robbed of vitality, lacks strength, has no resistive power.

Don't whip drugs or stimulants. Don't allow the appetite to fail, but instead take Ferrozone.

You're bound to feel rejuvenated and strengthened at once.

Appetite is braced up, digestion is stimulated, vigor imparted to the stomach. Everything you eat is transformed into nutriment that supplies what your thin, weak system needs.

Vitality-giving blood that makes rosy cheeks and dancing eyes—that's the kind that Ferrozone makes.

The strength and buoyancy that means depression and tiredness, that's the sort you get with Ferrozone.

Every pale woman can transform her bleached-out appearance with Ferrozone.

Not only will it improve looks and spirits, but by rebuilding all weak, tired organs, Ferrozone establishes a soundness of health that's surprising.

For women and girls who want to feel well, to look well, to be well and stay well, nothing known in the annals of medicine is so certain as Ferrozone.

Won't you try Ferrozone?

Concentrated cure in tablet form, that's Ferrozone, 50c per box or six for $2.50, at all dealers, or direct by mail from The Catarrhozone Co., Kingston, Ont.

NEW HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING CONSIDERED

NANAIMO, March 8.—The plans of the Government architect for alteration of the Agricultural Building to a High School were considered at Thursday night's meeting of the School Board. The Building Committee was instructed to have the plans prepared, with estimates as to the cost of the work. Principal Manger reported the attendance at the High School for February of 134 pupils, of whom thirty-five were boys and eighty-nine girls. The Superintendent of Education wrote not approving the plan of appointing a supervising principal of the city schools. The military authorities were given permission to store guns in the shed of the Agricultural Grounds.

BREWING CO. FINED $1,000 AT NANAIMO

NANAIMO, March 8.—The Union Brewing Company was on Thursday fined by Magistrate Denny Potts the sum of $1,000 for selling beer over the legal strength. The magistrate, in his decision, granted a stated case for the opinion of the Supreme Court on two points: First, whether the Union Brewing Company was liable for the sale of the B.C. Breweries, Ltd.; second, whether a magistrate had the power to impose a fine of less than $1,000. Mr. Leighton appeared for the city and Mr. McDiarmid for the company.

G.W.V.A. Women's Auxiliary

NANAIMO, March 8.—A women's auxiliary of the G.W.V.A. was formed Thursday evening in the Association rooms, the newly formed organization to meet on the first Thursday of every month. The following constitute the officers: Hon. President, Mrs. Matthews; President, Mrs. Welton; Vice-President, Mrs. H. McKenzie; Secretary, Miss E. Rogers; Treasurer, Mrs. Kelsey; Executive Committee, Mesdames Proctor, Allen, Bailey, T. Wilson, Murdock, A. R. Wilson, Patterson, Somers, Marsh and Grose.

Assured Postal Delivery

NANAIMO, March 8.—When postal delivery within the city limits has been fully tried out and found satisfactory it will be extended to Five Acres, was the general purport of the correspondence from Mr. J. C. McIntosh, M.P., which was read at a meeting yesterday afternoon of Five Acres residents in the Harewood Central School. Mr. William Wesnip was in the chair and there was a fair attendance. Five Acres, it is confidently hoped, will be enjoying the benefits of postal delivery by the end of the Summer.

Improvement Committee Formed

SOUTH WELLINGTON, March 6.—South Wellington organized last Monday night for the purpose of obtaining better local conditions, such as sanitation, sidewalks, telephone and express service. The new organization is manned by the following: President, J. W. Richards; Secretary, S. M. Murray; Executive Committee, J. C. McGregor, R. Belyea, L. Ryan, G. Taylor and C. Uuylaert.

Famous Hotel Burned

OLD POINT COMFORT, Va., March 6.—The Chamberlin Hotel, a famous tourist resort, erected by permission of Congress on the Government reservation at Fortress Monroe, was destroyed by fire that started in a room on the ground floor. The hotel was valued at $2,000,000.

Soviet's Offer to Japan

TOKIO, March 8.—The peace offer of the Russian Soviet Government to Japan is reported to include as one of its terms, a stipulation to forego Bolshevik propaganda in the Japanese Empire. The terms are also said to promise recognition of Japan's special position in the Far East.

"Omnia bona bonis" (All things are good with the good). Brentwood Hotel is good. Phone Keatings 21L

MANY ACTIVITIES PLANNED BY LADIES

Women's Auxiliary, St. Luke's Church, Holding Series of Silver Teas and Organizing Bazaar

In an endeavor to strengthen forces for effective work, all women's organizations in connection with St. Luke's Church, Cedar Hill, it was decided at the annual meeting of the Women's Auxiliary held last week, will be combined under this heading.

Amongst the newer activities in connection with the movement there are to be held a series of "silver" teas at the homes of different parishioners, the next to be at the residence of Mrs. Summerhill on March 10, and to which all members and their friends are cordially invited. Mrs. Bradshaw, of Polo Alta Drive, has consented to be hostess at the following tea on March 17. The object of these teas is to stimulate acquaintance among parishioners as well as to provide a means of meeting the indebtedness of the church in respect of the new pipe organ installed just prior to the commencement of the war.

Another effort in the same direction is the big bazaar to be held in the latter part of June in the beautiful grounds kindly proffered for the purpose by Mr. J. W. Tolmie at his home, Cloverdale. Preparations for the affair are already well under way, and every church member is requested to take an active part in the numerous and varied branches of the work. Sewing classes will be arranged, and ladies who cannot attend the meetings but who are willing to sew, will be supplied with materials by the committee. Any contributions will be gratefully accepted, particularly offers of personal help.

The following ladies are taking charge of the different stalls: Home cooking, Mrs. Bradshaw and Miss King; Plain Sewing, Mrs. Nicolls and Mrs. Miller; Fancy Wool Work, Mrs. Walsh, Miss Beale, Mrs. A. Parker, Mrs. Wells; Ice Cream and Candy, Miss Thurburn, Miss F. Bradshaw, Miss Noel Beale and Miss Neva Stewart; Flowers, Fruit and Vegetables, Mrs. Lytton and Miss Goodeve; "Teach and Take," Miss Carol Tolmie, Miss Mason; "White Elephant," Mrs. Offerhaus; Tea Committee, Miss Tolmie, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Wenman, Mrs. Summerhill, Mrs. Bates, Mrs. Riley, Mrs. Durand, Mrs. Mason.

The next meeting of the Women's Auxiliary will be held on Thursday, March 18, at 2:30, in the Parish Hall, and a record attendance is hoped for.

Filipinos Ask Independence

MANILA, March 8.—The extra session of the Philippine Legislature adjourned today after adopting a resolution reiterating its plea for the immediate independence of the Philippines at the hands of the United States government.

In the thirty-eight years' reign of Henry VIII. not less than 72,000 criminals were executed.



INSURANCE PRODUCES ECONOMIC STRENGTH

Mr. J. B. Clearihue Tells Underwriters Yesterday That Their Calling Is Social Saving Grace

The regular monthly luncheon-meeting of the Victoria and Island Life Underwriters' Association was addressed yesterday by Mr. J. B. Clearihue on the economic aspects of insurance. The luncheon, which was held at the Dominion Hotel, was well attended by the local members of the association.

Examining the present economic condition, which is permeated with a deep spirit of unrest, Mr. Clearihue considered that society called for three distinct remedies: more intense saving, greater production, and industrial peace and security. Life insurance, he said, was striving for all these.

Production called for accumulated capital, he said. The average man did not save, for statistics showed that but one man in 5,000 was able, at the age of 65, to retire on a sound financial footing. The other 4,999 were dependant on some one else. A life insurance policy made saving compulsory and offered a means of protecting the individual against most of the contingencies of life, which would otherwise make him or his dependants look to society for aid.

The productive lives in a community constituted by far its greatest economic value, the speaker pointed out, so prudence required the present generation to insure the efficiency of the generation to follow. Life insurance was co-operative finance applied to human values. The family was the man's most important business and it should be protected against bankruptcy. Group insurance, he said, had become one of the greatest advancements in the industrial life of the country and had thus become a social duty and a strengthening force in the economic life of society.

The first newspaper published west of the Alleghanies was the Kentucky Gazette, issued at Lexington in 1787.

CASTORIA for Infants and Children. In Use For Over 30 Years

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher



3274 passengers in cars of 31 different makes drove up before this Opera House entrance one evening last month. Many of them are traveling in second-class comfort, not realizing that they pay first-class prices for it

Does it Really Cost any more to Travel First Class

YOU will often hear people say, with an air of resignation, how much they would rather ride in a Packard, if they could only afford it.

Putting the Packard owner in a *class apart*, with special comforts and privileges—assuming that he pays more for his motoring than they do.

A GREAT many people would be less resigned to their own inconveniences of travel, if they knew how *little* the Packard owner pays for the comfort they speak of.

Packard Transportation never costs more than second-class transportation—and often less.

The *gasoline mileage* of the Packard is from 10 to 14, according to road conditions. The *oil mileage*, 1,000 to the gallon. *Tires*, properly cared for, 12,000 to 16,000 miles.

The Packard exclusive *heat-treating* process adds greatly to the strength of the steel, reducing repairs and depreciation.

The longer life and greater used value of the Packard more than takes care of the difference in initial investment.

FOR twenty years the Packard Company has been studying motor cars from the standpoint of *Transportation Experts*. Time after time it has proved that trying to save on the initial investment costs a man more in the long run than buying a Packard.

Transportation facts are not a matter of compromise, but *absolute*—as the Packard Transportation Experts can show any man who really *wants* the facts.

"Ask the Man Who Owns One"

PACKARD MOTOR CAR COMPANY, *Detroit*

THOMAS PLIMLEY

Broughton Street, at Broad

ANOTHER WHALING COMPANY FORMED

Resigned Officials of Consolidated Whaling Corporation Head Concern to Operate Out of Barkley Sound

The Vancouver Island Whaling Company, Ltd., has been formed to engage in whaling out of Barkley Sound. The licence secured by this concern from the Federal Government is only the second issued permitting whaling on the British Columbia Coast. The Consolidated Whaling Corporation holds the other licence.

The authorised capital of the new concern will be $600,000 and the company will be officially gazetted within a few days.

The organizers are: Mr. S. C. Ruck, former general manager of the Consolidated Whaling Corporation; Mr. W. N. Kelly, former superintending engineer of the same company; and Mr. C. E. Ruck, former manager of the concern's Akutan plant.

Options have been taken on two steel steamers suitable for whaling. It is expected that the new company will commence the hunting of whales about midsummer.

A plant will be erected at Barkley Sound. Oil will be the main product, with fertiliser as a sideline. The machinery installed will be the latest. The boats will be large and fast.

Mr. S. C. Ruck is well known in this city. He has been identified with the whaling industry in Newfoundland and British Columbia for the past 22 years, engaged in building and operating whaling stations on the coasts of Newfoundland and British Columbia. He became associated with the British Columbia Whaling Company up to the end of 1919 as general manager of the Consolidated Whaling Corporation, Ltd. From 1912 to 1915 he was superintendent of all the whaling plants in British Columbia, and from 1916 to the end of 1919 was general manager of the Consolidated Whaling Corporation, Ltd.

Mr. W. N. Kelly has been superintendent-engineer with the Consolidated Whaling Corporation since 1914.

During his association with the Consolidated Whaling Corporation and the other companies controlled by that concern, he has been in charge of all the whaling steamers and oil filtering plants.

Mr. C. E. Ruck for the past ten years has been actively engaged in whaling operations in Newfoundland, on the British Columbia coast and in the Behring Sea. Up to the end of last year he was manager of the Akutan whaling plant of the Consolidated Whaling Corporation, and installed the plant at the Behring Sea station.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

Mariners are notified that three new sets of range lights marking the channel of the Fraser River between New Westminster and Steveston will be put in operation on or about the 19th inst.

These ranges are specified as follows:

Woodwards Range: Two pile beacons supporting white occulting gas lights on south bank of river at head of Woodwards' Slough, to guide up present channel from No. 25 Block Buoy to a point where Deas Island range will intersect.

Deas Island Range: Two beacons supporting gas lights on south bank of river at western end of Tilbury Island to lead up channel from Woodwards' Slough to point opposite Deas Island where a white sector of the front light of Tilbury Range will be picked up and followed. Should the mariner overrun this intersection the front light of Tilbury Range will show red and will lead over shoal ground.

Tilbury Island Range: Aga lights on north bank of river opposite western end of Tilbury Island to direct up channel past Tilbury Island to a point where Annacis Island Range will intersect. The front light of this range contains a red sector leading over shoal ground along the southern bank of the channel, therefore, the white sectors of this light only will be followed.

The characteristic of the above lights will be white occulting with the exception of the red sector of the Tilbury Island front light.

Range lights will be established in the near future on the south bank of the river opposite Annacis Island and a further notice to mariners when the same are ready for operation.

CALGARY, March 8.—The definite dates and outline for the programme for the Alberta and British Columbia industrial congress and tour of the two provinces which will take place in June were announced this morning by Mayor Brown, of Medicine Hat, president of the Alberta Industrial Development Association, on his return from Vancouver where he has been in conference with the leading business men of the coast and the B. C. Congress committee. Mayor Brown states that the congress will take place from June 2 to 10, and will include visits to Medicine Hat, Lethbridge, Calgary, Edmonton and the coast cities of British Columbia.

SHIPPING INFORMATION

Coming and Going

TACOMA, March 8.—Arrived: Str. Admiral Farragut, San Francisco. Sailed: Strs. Santa Rita, Seattle; Delight, Orient via Seattle; Alaska, Alaska.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 8.—Arrived: Strs. Idaho, Aberdeen; Johann Smith, Coos Bay; Solano, Willapa Harbor; Caspar, Caspar. Sailed: Strs. Kanagawa Maru, Yokohama.

SEATTLE, March 8.—Arrived: Str. President, San Pedro via San Francisco. Sailed: Str. Devolente, San Francisco.

PACIFIC SAILINGS (TO ARRIVE)

Vessel.	From.	Due.
Tactician,	United Kingdom	March 18
Protesilaus,	Orient	March 15
Niagara,	Antipodes	March 24
Empress of Russia,	Orient	March 29
Monteagle,	Orient	April 16
Empress of Japan,	Orient	April 19
Magician,	United Kingdom	April 21

PACIFIC SAILINGS (TO DEPART)

Vessel.	To	Date.
Niagara,	Antipodes	March 29
Empress of Russia,	Orient	April 8
Monteagle,	Orient	April 25
Empress of Japan,	Orient	April 28

ATLANTIC SAILINGS

(From St. John to Liverpool)

Vessel.	Date.
Scandinavian	March 12
Empress of France	March 12
Minnedosa	March 18
Metagama	March 22
Corsican	March 26
Melita	April 2
Empress of France	April 10
Minnedosa	April 23
Metagama	April 24
(To Havre and London)	
Grampian	April 9
(To Glasgow)	
Pretorian	March 11
Sicilian	March 31
Pretorian	April 23
(To Antwerp)	
Scotian	March 30
Scandinavian	April 16

SAILINGS FOR MONTREAL

Vessel. From.	Date.
Corsican, Liverpool	April 22
Melita, Liverpool	April 30
Scotian, Antwerp	April 21

SAILINGS FROM NEW YORK

Vessel. To.	Date.
Imperator— Cherbourg and S'hampton	March 6
Royal George— Plymouth, Havre, S'hampton,	March 9
Vasari, Liverpool	March 11
Columbia, Glasgow via Moville	March 13
Mauretania, Cherbourg-S'hampton,	March 20
Italia, Naples	March 27
Saxonia, Plymouth and Havre	March 30
Pannonia— Patras, Dubovnik, Trieste	March 31
Saxonia, Plymouth & Hamburg	April 3
Carmania, Liverpool	April 6
Royal George, S'hampton-Havre	April 14
Mauretania— Southampton and Cherbourg	April 17
Caronia, Liverpool	April 17
Columbia, Glasgow, via Moville	April 17

SAILINGS FOR NEW YORK

Vessel. From.	Date.
Imperator, Southampton	March 2
Mauretania, Southampton	March 6
Saxonia, London	March 13
Carmania, Liverpool	March 23
Royal George, Southampton	March 30
Mauretania, Southampton	April 3
Columbia, Glasgow	March 31
Caronia, Liverpool	April 8
Imperator, Southampton	April 17
Victoria, Liverpool	April 24
Saxonia, London	April 20
Carmania, Liverpool	April 27

Latest Atlantic Information

The Empress of France arrived at St. John 2 a.m. Sunday. The passengers from the Pretorian left Montreal on train No. 1 on Saturday, and are due in Vancouver Thursday morning.

Victoria Port News

The huge oil tank built by Yarrows for installation on the M.S. Dollar in connection with an oil-burning system, was launched down the slipway at the Esquimalt yard yesterday afternoon. The tank was then towed to the end of the dock and lifted with big shearlegs onto a scow. It will be towed immediately to Vancouver. The tank measures 16x16x14, and was built at the top of the slipway. It was launched after the fashion of a ship's hull.

The local whalers will be pulled out at Yarrow's in a few days for an overhaul in preparation for the coming season. The usual method is to pull four out on the slipway at once.

Fifteen boys from the Royal Naval College, Esquimalt, have left for a week's cruise on the Stadacona. Lieut. Thomas is in command of the ship, while Lieut. Jones is in charge of the boys. The vessel will likely go out as far as Flattery. This is the first cruise to be undertaken in anything but the College yacht Naden.

The Malaspina is now on her way to Prince Rupert on patrol duty. The Armentiers is bound for the West Coast, also on fisheries protection work. The Thiepval will shortly be put in drydock for her half-yearly cleaning and painting.

The local C.P.R. office is in receipt of the Summer schedule for the C.P.O.S. Atlantic sailings to and from Montreal.

TIDES AT VICTORIA

MARCH, 1920

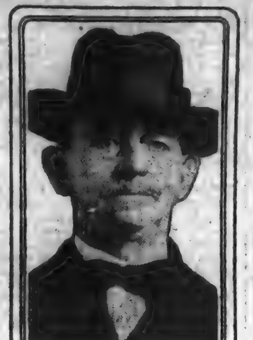
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The time used is Pacific Standard, for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish High Water from Low Water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, above the average level of lower Low Water.

Esquimalt—To find the depth of water on the sill of the Dry Dock at any tide, add 19.0 feet to the height of High Water as above given.

H. W. BORING, a well-to-do Kansas farmer, says he has gained twenty pounds in weight and is in better general health than he has been in years since taking Tanlac.



"Since Tanlac has overcome my troubles I have gained twenty pounds in weight and am in better general health than for years past," was the straight-forward statement made a few days ago by H. W. Boring, a prominent and well-to-do farmer living at Overland Park, Kans.

"During the two years I suffered I tried everything I knew of to get relief, but nothing seemed to reach my case until I tried Tanlac. My appetite was poor and my digestion was so bad I could hardly retain my food. Nothing agreed with me; in fact, I was almost a confirmed dyspeptic. My whole system seemed to be out of shape. I would have pains across the small of my back so bad at times I could hardly move around.

"My nerves were all unstrung and I would become upset at the least little thing. I seldom slept well at night, and, finally, became so weak and run-down that I lost weight rapidly. I was also troubled a great deal with catarrh and of mornings had to spend a half hour or more clearing up my head.

"This is just the condition I was in when I began taking Tanlac and it certainly has been a blessing to me. It just seemed to be made especially for my case. I improved from the very first. My digestion now is perfect and regardless of what I eat I never suffer any bad after effects.

"The pains across my back have entirely disappeared. The catarrh has left me, too, and my head is perfectly clear. I am no longer nervous and rest well every night. I have regained my lost weight and am feeling better and stronger than I have in years. I am going to keep Tanlac in my house so it will be handy at all times."

Tanlac is sold in Victoria by D. E. Campbell, Druggist, and in Esquimalt by Robt. C. Lang. (Advt.)

PUZZLED BY CONFLICT OF NEW TRAFFIC BILLS

Proposed Legislation for Victoria and Saanich Clash in Application to Projected Municipal Bus Line.

If Victoria has legislation regulating motor bus traffic within the city limits, and if Saanich has similar legislation relating to Saanich "and the surrounding locality," what happens?

This was the poser submitted to the City Council last night when it was learned that Saanich is applying for a private bill empowering it to operate a municipal bus system between Saanich and Victoria.

City Solicitor H. S. Pringle pointed out that unless some reservation was made in the Saanich bill, it would be contradictory to the private bill for Victoria, asking permission to regulate motor traffic.

Ald. Sangster claimed that the Saanich buses should be placed on the same basis as jitneys.

Mr. Pringle believed that the city would have power to license them, whether or not they "originated" in Saanich, but Ald. Sangster questioned this.

Ald. Sangster moved a resolution for the insertion of a special clause stipulating that these buses would be considered the same as jitneys. It was adopted, Ald. Todd alone dissenting.

SAYS SAANICH IS PENALIZING CITY

Failure of Municipality to Pay $46,000 Debt Halts Sewer Extension, Ald. Fullerton Holds

An attempt to reconsider the Saanich sewer agreement was last night ruled out of order by Mayor Porter. Ald. Fullerton argued that Saanich should be forced to recognise its debt of some $46,000 to the City, and that payment should be demanded from the municipality without the necessity for the passage of a money by-law.

City Solicitor H. S. Pringle filed with the Council a redraft of the agreement with Saanich regarding the sewer work. The agreement stipulated that Saanich place a by-law before the ratepayers each year until passed, providing for the payment of the $46,225.59, with interest. The debt was incurred when the City built the northwest sewer line through Saanich.

Ald. Fullerton held that as long as Saanich declined to pay the bill, the city was penalized by not having the funds rightly belonging to it available for the extension of the sewer system.

The Mayor called the discussion out of order and a motion for reconsideration of the agreement will probably be filed during the week.

Ald. Todd pointed out that while the City Council was convinced of the strength of its position, Oak Bay appeared to side with Saanich. He felt that the matter should be thoroughly investigated before the agreement was finally signed.

VICTORIA STOCK EXCHANGE

(By F. W. Stevenson, 102 Pemberton Bldg.)

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Stewart M. and D.	.25	...
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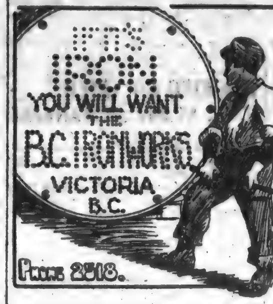
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MARKET AFFECTED BY COURT DECISION

U.S. Supreme Court's Declaration That Stock Dividends Are Free From Taxation Causes Sharp Advance

NEW YORK, March 8.—The long-awaited decision of the U. S. Supreme Court, which declared stock dividends free from taxation, turned today's stock market from irregularity to feverish activity and absolute buoyancy in the later dealings. Gross gains in a wide variety of issues, comprising all the traders and many specialties, ranged from 5 to 40 points, final prices for the most part being within easy distance of highest levels.

The movement, which derived much of its strength from extensive covering of short contracts, was accompanied by reports that many corporations may soon announce substantial increases in disbursements to shareholders. It is believed that many of the industrial companies which added enormously to their earnings during the war contemplate splitting up their high-priced shares, with attendant benefits in the form of "extra" dividends.

Today's advance was preceded by a severe reaction, the market dropping from 7 to 11 points as a result of incorrect reports of the court decision by the news agencies operating in the financial district. Publication of the Associated Press summary effected a rapid readjustment of values, the market rising almost steadily in the last two hours, when rails, hitherto backward, also made material gains.

Trading was in largest volume of any session in many weeks, aggregating 1,750,000 shares.

Other departments included a moderate reaction in foreign exchange, an easier trend to call money, another $4,000,000 gold shipment from Canada and engagements of $1,750,000 gold from South Africa at London.

Bonds were irregular at the outset, but hardened later on the rise of stocks. Sales, par value, $12,500,000. Old U. S. Bonds unchanged.

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Stocks—	High.	Low.	Close.
Agr. Chem.	88⅞	88½	88⅞
Allis-Chalmers	43	40	42⅞
Amn. Beet Sugar	88	88	88
Amn. Can. Co.	44⅝	42⅞	44⅝
Amn. Car Fdy.	137½	131¾	137⅝
Amn. Cotton Oil	45⅞	42⅝	45⅝
Amn. In. Cor.	96⅝	93	96¼
Amn. Loco.	98⅞	94⅝	98
Amn. Smelt. and Ref.	64	62¼	64
Amn. Sugar Rfg.	139	133	139
Amn. T. and T.	98⅝	98¼	98⅝
Amn. Wool	133	114	133
Amn. Steel Fdy.	46⅝	42⅝	46⅝
Amn. Sum. Tob.	87⅝	85⅝	87
Anaconda Min.	58⅞	57	58⅞
Anglo-Fr.	98½	98	98
Atchison	84¾	83¾	84¼
Atlantic Gulf	161⅝	145¼	157⅝
Baldwin Loco.	120	109⅝	119¾
Balt. and Ohio	37⅞	34⅞	37½
Beth. Steel	93	86⅞	91⅞
Butte Sup. Min.	26⅝	26	26⅝
Brooklyn Transit	13⅝	12⅝	13⅝
Canadian Pac.	132½	130⅝	132
Cent. Leather	84	80⅞	84
Crucible Steel	227	191	227
Ches. and Ohio	58	55⅝	58
Chic., Mil. and St. P.	39⅝	37⅝	39⅝
Chic., R. I. and Pac.	41	36	39⅝
Colo. Fuel and Iron	40	40	40
Chino Copper	34	33⅞	33⅞
Cal. Petro.	36⅞	33⅝	35⅝
Chile Cop.	17¾	17	17
Corn Products	87⅝	83⅝	87⅝
Distillers Sec.	64	62⅝	63¾
Erie	14⅝	14⅝	14⅝
Erie, 1st pfd	23⅝	23	23⅝
Gen. Elec.	160	160	160
Gen. Motors	302	244	301
Goodrich	72⅝	69⅝	72⅝
Great Nor. Ore	38½	37⅝	38⅝
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Great Nor. pfd	78⅞	77⅝	78⅝
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Int. Nickel	21⅞	21	21⅝
Int. Mer. Marine	35⅞	34⅝	35⅝
do pfd	91	89⅝	91
Kennecott Copper	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝
Kan. City So.	18⅝	17⅝	18
Lehigh Valley	46	45⅝	46
Lack. Steel	74⅝	71⅝	74½
Louis. and N.	103⅝	103⅝	103⅝
Maxwell Motors	28	28	28
Midvale Steel	48	45⅝	48
Mex. Petro.	181½	173⅝	181¾
Miami Copper	23⅝	23	23⅝
Missouri Pac.	30⅝	27	29⅝
Mo., Kans. and Texas	10⅝	9⅝	10⅝
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Reading	77⅝	74	77⅝
Ry. Steel Spring	96	96	96
Ray. Cons. Min.	19	18⅝	18⅝
Repub. Steel	95⅝	88	95⅝
Sin. Oil	42	40⅝	41⅝
Southern Pac.	99⅝	95	99⅝
Southern Ry.	25⅝	23⅝	25⅝
Studebaker Corp.	91	84⅝	90⅝
Sloss Sheffield	73	71	72
The Texas Co.	185	179	185
Tob. Prod.	85¼	83⅝	85¼
Union Pac.	121⅝	119⅝	121⅝
Utah Copper	73	73	73
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	98⅝	90⅝	98⅝
U. S. Rubber	107	96⅝	106⅝
U. S. Steel	100⅝	96⅝	100⅝
do pfd	112	111⅝	112
Virginia Chem.	68⅝	66⅝	68⅝
Western Union	85⅝	85⅝	85⅝
Willys-Overland	24⅝	24⅝	24⅝
West. Elec.	51⅝	51⅝	51⅝
Royal Dutch	101⅝	99	101
Pan. Amer.	91⅝	85⅝	90⅝
Retail Stores	72⅝	69⅝	72⅝
Cuba Cane Sugar	44	42⅝	43⅝
Cerro de Pasco	49	48	49
Cal. Pack.	79½	78⅝	78⅝
Pierce Arrow	57⅝	54⅝	57⅝
Shell Transport	81	79⅝	80
Texas Pac.	38	35⅝	37¼

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WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET

WINNIPEG, March 8.—Offerings of cash oats continue to be very small on the local market with business almost at a standstill. The demand for all grades was good, with spreads ¼ cent better. No. 3 barley premiums off 1 cent, while flax and rye spreads were unchanged.

Oats closed ¼ cent higher for May, July ⅛ cent higher; barley ¼ cent lower for May and ⅛ cent down for July; flax 1½c higher for May and 7½c up for July; rye closed ⅛ cent lower for May.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Oats—				
May	.97	.98⅛	.96⅞	.97⅝
July	.93	.93⅝	.93¼	.93⅝
Barley—				
May	1.56	1.56¾	1.55¼	1.55⅝
July	1.48⅝	1.49⅝	1.47⅝	1.47⅝
Flax—				
May	5.20	5.26⅝	5.20	5.26⅝
July	4.93	4.96½	4.93	4.96
Rye—				
May	1.90⅝	1.91	1.89	1.90

Cash prices—Oats: 2 cw 99; 3 cw 96; extra 1 feed 95; 1 feed 94½; 2 feed 93; track 98¾.

Barley—3 cw 163¾; 4 cw 169; rejected 155½; track 165¾.

Flax—1 nw 531½; 2 cw 521½; 3 cw 496½; track 526½.

Rye—2 cw 188.

METAL MARKET

NEW YORK, March 8.—Copper quiet; electrolytic spot and first quarter, 18¾; second quarter, 19; Iron steady; No. 1 Northern, $47 to $48; No. 2 Northern $45 to $46; No. 2 Southern, $43 to $44; Antimony, $11.25½.

Metal exchange quotes lead, strong; spot $9.25 bid; zinc, weak; East St. Louis delivery, spot $8.85 bid, $8.55 asked.

At London—Spot copper, £111 7s 6d; futures £115 7s 6d; electrolytic spot £121, futures £124; tin spot £388 5s, futures £390 15s; lead, spot £50; futures £53 5s; zinc, spot £52; futures £55 10s.

MONEY AND EXCHANGE

LONDON, March 8.—Bar silver 78⅜d per ounce. Money, 3¾ per cent; discount rate short bills 5¾ per cent; three months bills, 5 13-16 @ ⅞ per cent.

NEW YORK, March 8.—Bar silver 1.33¼; Mexican dollars 99¾. Sterling exchange opened steady at $3.56 for 60-day bills and $3.59¾ for demand. Canadian dollars, $3.75c; Belgian francs, 8.75; French francs, 8.35; Italian lire 6.40.

Further improvement occurred in sterling in the final dealings. Sterling, 60-day bills, $3.56¾; commercial 60-day bills on banks, 3.56⅝; commercial, 60-day bills, 3.56¼; demand 3.60¼; cables 3.61. Francs, demand 12.77; cables 12.75; Mercantile paper 6½@6¾; Guilders, demand, 36½; cables 36⅝; Marks, demand, 1.08; cables, 1.09; Government bonds steady; railroad bonds irregular; time loans strong: 60 days, 90 days and 6 months, 8½.

MONTREAL STOCKS

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Stocks—	High.	Low.	Close.
Ames Holden	132	132	132
do pfd	110⅝	110½	110⅝
Bell Tele.	105	105	105
Brasilian Trac.	47½	47	47½
Can. Cement	67½	67½	67½
do pfd	94	94	94
Can. S. S., com.	75	75	75
do pfd	84¼	84½	84½
Can. Gen. Elec.	107½	107½	107½
Civic Inv. and Ind.	86⅝	83⅝	85½
Cons. M. and S.	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝
Dom. Bridge	105⅝	105⅝	105½
Dom. Canners	62⅝	61½	61½
Dom. I. and S.	71	71	71
Dmo. Text.	124	124	124
Laurentide Co.	92	91½	92
Penmans, Ltd.	118	118	118
Quebec Ry.	29	29	29
Riordon Paper	182	182	182
Shawinigan	111	111	111
Spanish Riv. Pulp	86	86	86
Steel of Can.	80½	80½	80½
Wayagamac Pulp	74	74	74

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKETS

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Corn—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	146	148½	144½	147⅝
July	138½	141⅝	138½	140⅝
Sept.	135⅝	138⅝	134⅝	136⅝
Oats—				
May	83⅝	84⅝	83	84½
July	76⅝	77¾	76⅝	76⅝

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MONTREAL, March 8.—Eggs, higher; potatoes, lower; cheese, quiet; butter, firm.

Cheese—Finest easterns, 26½@27c.

Butter—Choicest creamery, 60@61c; seconds, 58c.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

Liberty of Our Homes

Sir:—Publicly and unblushingly from Prohibitionist pulpit and platform is being preached today the doctrine that every intending immigrant to British Columbia who might seek to safeguard the liberty of his future home to the extent of being allowed to settle for himself whether he may or may not enjoy a glass of wine or spirit therein is an "undesirable."

To refute or contest such a statement as being a popular expression of opinion would be an insult to the people of this Province.

But the fact that we have in our midst a sect so fanatical that it would wish—nay, preach—that the gratification of its particular whim should stand in the way of the advancement and prosperity of our country affords such an illuminating example of the length to which bigotry will carry people that the preaching deserves comment.

I trust the author will forgive me for quoting a verse from "The Fanatic's Creed," it so perfectly illustrates the attitude of the rabid Prohibitionists in this matter:

"Believe as I believe, no more, no less;
That I am right, and no one else, confess;
Feel as I feel, think only as I think,
Eat what I eat and drink but what I drink,
Look as I look, do always as I do,
And then, and only then, I'll fellowship with you."

This, on their own admission and preaching, is the spirit in which they would like us to meet the newcomer who does not happen to see eye to eye with them. It is not, thank Heaven, the spirit of British Columbia.

We have in British Columbia a most lovely and desirable country, unsurpassed in scenery and climate. Its resources in timber, minerals and farming lands are probably unequalled. But the richest and best country in the world depends for its development on men and money.

Are we going, in order to gratify the whim of a fanatical minority, to slam the door in the face of the would-be fellow citizen for no greater offence than that he would seek to retain the right of his forefathers to order the doings in his own home?

Has not the newcomer enough to contend with just now in the fact that, at the present rate of exchange, each £1 sterling which he brings with him gives him only the equivalent of some sixteen shillings in Canada?

Whilst fully alive to the desirability of our country for the emigrant, we shall do well not to lose sight of the fact that Canada is not the only British colony that the man whose mind turns to emigration need select.

British East Africa, Rhodesia, South Africa, Australia, Tasmania and New Zealand all have attractions to offer; in each of these countries the £1 sterling stands for twenty shillings, and in some cases the cost of living has not appreciated to anything like the extent it has in Canada. In none of these countries, moreover, is a man treated like an infant in the matter of not being allowed to decide whether he shall take a glass of wine or spirit in his own home.

Let us have a care lest, by hasty legislation, we divert the stream of immigration to this country. Once turned, it will not be an easy matter to get it flowing again in our direction.

When a disease sweeps over any country the doctors take the matter in hand and endeavor to combat and stamp it out. Just now a scourge which takes the form of a mania for "prohibiting" is sweeping over the North American continent. Drink, tobacco, dancing, Sunday concerts and even feathers in the ladies' hats, are, if we are to be ruled by the fanatic, to be banned. In dealing with this mania our legislators should be the doctors, but if they feel that they must "call in further advice" and have a referendum, the people of the Province will themselves be the doctors, and the only way in which they can stamp out the disease will be by going to the polls and making their wishes known.

If they won't put themselves to this trouble they must not grumble if the fanatic rules them and rules them with a rod of iron. They will deserve all they get, and Heaven knows that it will be enough.

I venture to predict that, if British Columbia enacts sane and moderate legislation on the drink question, it will be but a very short time before the other Provinces of Canada follow suit. True we may have many "undesirables," but the other Provinces will discover that they, too, can do with this particular class of criminals.

And even the great United States of America—so often held up by Pussyfoot as our ideal—will not be blind forever to the fact that it has been tricked into unnatural legislation by a party of organized fanatics, backed by the dollars of a few millionaires with weak digestions.

As I said in my previous letter on this subject: To the question as to whether bars, saloons and public drinking places are to be again legalized, our answer must be: No.

Equally clear and emphatic to the questions as to whether we are to be treated like kindergarten children in our own homes and forced to drive the stranger from our gates, our answer must be: No.

CHARLES E. COLLARD,
Lieut.-Colonel.
"Benbow," Duncan, March 5, 1920.

"Victoria, Wake Up!"

Sir,—"All right, Mr. Man. Kindly adjust your carburetor a little; your mixture is too rich, and make sure that your own engine is hitting on all six before you presume to set the points on our spark plugs."

Who are these parvenus who scream like ravens from the outer darkness into a city flooded with sunshine and life and conjure us in raucous tones to "wake up" lest dire ills befall us?

We may have slept a little over the Christmas holidays, but it was with one eye open, and at present we are very wide awake indeed. In originality and energy Victoria is an example to the Dominion, and if I suggested within the hearing of those jolly sea dogs round the office of the Victoria Shipowners, Ltd., that Victoria was asleep, I would expect a lift under my forefoot that would send all my head sails aback.

That office is the forerunner of a long period of activity and prosperity for Victoria, and those who look beyond their noses will see the results of Victoria's wakefulness and initiative of today, advertised in every quarter of the globe.

The line of sailing ships with Victoria painted on their sterns and manned by jolly crews who hoist the topsails to the tune of "Blow the man down," will eventually develop into the line of ten thousand ton steamers, and the money find its way to Victoria to be used for further developments.

The spirit of Victoria today, with its shipbuilding and co-operative movements, is exemplary to the Dominion, and if we did all this whilst Victoria slept, what must we accomplish now that we are awake?

ROBERT LEGION.
512 Fort Street, Victoria, B.C., March 4, 1920.

"High Cost of Ignorance"

Sir:—In your issue of this morning's Colonist, March 6th, there is a letter on "High Cost of Ignorance" which, if it were not so serious a subject for the average sane worker, would be highly amusing, and a fine puzzle figuring out where the writer learned mathematics. Would you allow me a short space in your valuable paper to give a percentage problem on living necessities?

	In 1912	In 1919
Sugar, 20 lbs.	$1.00	$3.50
Flour, 49 lbs.	1.60	3.25
Potatoes, 100 lbs.	.85	5.00
Butter, 2 lbs.	1.00	2.25
Tea, 3 lbs.	1.00	2.00
Milk, 20 pints	1.00	1.66

Wages for carpenters in 1912, $4.25; in 1919, $6.60. Now if any kind reader will work that out and prove a higher per cent wage they have some head.

One more remark: Mr. MacGregor is really ridiculous in comparing English wages in 1914 with Victorian wages in 1919, and I can give him addresses of English members of carpenters' unions who are earning today what is exactly $27.60, and laborers will not work for less than $20, and while the living is as high in England as here, the clothing is not. Suits that we pay the fancy price of $50 and $55 for here would be termed as shoddy in England and wouldn't fetch $20.

And as the average intelligent worker knows this, I need not go into further details.

(MRS.) GRACE TOWNSEND.
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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

BIRTHS

DURICK—To Mr. and Mrs. F. Durick, 345 Government St., at St. Joseph's Hospital, March 8, a daughter.

MARRIAGES

CARR-ROBSON—At Cobble Hill, March 4, by the Rev. F. L. Stevenson, Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Robson, of Cobble Hill, to Mr. E. P. Carr, of Victoria, B.C.

DEATHS

FALL—At Jubilee Hospital on Sunday evening, March 7, Eleanor Phyllis Miriam, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Fall, of Hillbank, V.I., aged 14 years. Burial at Cobble Hill on Wednesday.

ROBINSON—At her residence, 324 Moss St. Mrs. Ella Cecelia, wife of the late G. W. Robinson, on March 6, aged 63 years, born at London, Ont., resident Victoria for the past 17 years. She leaves to mourn her loss two daughters, Cynthia M. and Ella F., and one son, George W. Robinson. She is survived also by three brothers, Joseph Williams, M.D., and Charles Williams, M.D., of Boston, Mass., and John Williams, of Winnipeg; also two grandchildren, and a sister-in-law, Mrs. (Rev.) Wm. Elliott, of Hardie, B.C. The funeral will take place on Tuesday, March 9 at 2 o'clock from the family residence. Rev. G. Cook will officiate. Interment Ross Bay Cemetery.

KENNEDY—On the 6th inst., at his home, "Lissan," 1636 North Hampshire Road, Thomas Studdert Kennedy, late C.I.R.I.C., aged 88 years, born in Annacon, Ireland, and a resident of this city for the past sixteen years, and is survived by, besides his widow, two daughters, of this city, and one daughter and one son in Calgary, a daughter in Ireland, also one son in California.

The funeral will take place on Wednesday, the 10th inst., at 2 o'clock, from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Rev. G. H. Andrews will officiate. Interment in Ross Bay Cemetery. Funeral private. No flowers, by request.

MARKWICK—On March 5, 1920, at Jubilee Hospital, Mary, beloved wife of Harry A. Markwick, of Newdale, Manitoba, aged 44 years. Born in England.

The remains are reposing at the B. C. Funeral Chapel from whence the funeral will take place on Tuesday at 3:30 p.m. Interment will take place in Ross Bay Cemetery.

SMITH—On March 6, 1920, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. Wallace Grime, 561 Rithet Street, Herbert Wilson Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Wilson Smith, of Ainsworth, Kootenay Lake, B.C., aged 30 years. Born at Nelson, B.C.

The remains are reposing at the B.C. Funeral Chapel, from whence the funeral will take place on Tuesday at 10:45 a.m., proceeding to Christ Church Cathedral for service at 11 o'clock. Interment in Ross Bay Cemetery.

MANN—On the 7th inst. at 222 Mary Street, Francis Margaret Mann, aged 30 years, beloved wife of Arthur Mann. The deceased was a native of Wales, and had resided in Victoria for the past 7 years. She is survived by her husband, one brother in Vancouver, and two sisters, Mrs. Holdcroft, of Victoria, and a sister in Norton, Wales.

Funeral service will take place on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 from the Thomson Funeral Home, Rev. Robert Connell officiating.

O'NEILL—At Lenzie, Glasgow, Scotland, on March 4, T. A. J. O'Neill, Surveyor of Taxes, Belfast, Ireland, eldest and dearly beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. O'Neill, "Uledia," Balfour Ave., Victoria, B.C.

GILLAN—On the 7th inst., at her home, 2024 Stanley Avenue, Eileen Mary Gillan, beloved wife of Mr. John Q. Gillan, aged 28 years; born in Victoria. Deceased is survived by, besides her husband, three children, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Mulcahy, of 1007 Esquimalt Road; also one sister and six brothers, all residing at home.

The remains will repose at the Sands Funeral Chapel until Wednesday morning, the 10th inst., when they will be removed to her parents' residence, 1007 Esquimalt Road, and at 9 o'clock the cortege will proceed from the residence to St. Andrew's Cathedral, where Requiem High Mass will be celebrated at 10 o'clock by the Rev. Father MacDonald. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. A. M. Maynard and family wish to express their heartfelt thanks to all their kind friends here and in Vancouver for kindness and sympathy in their recent bereavement, and also for the many beautiful floral offerings.

CARD OF THANKS

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CARD OF THANKS

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MRS. JAMES GOLDSTRAW.

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Of the late Mrs. Jennie Newton Gidley
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Since you "dear mother" passed away
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Inserted by her daughter May, Victoria, March 9, 1920.

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THE quarterly meeting of Lodge Princess Alexandra, No. 12, D.O.K., Wednesday, March 10, Orange Hall, Courtney Street, 7.30 o'clock sharp.

THE regular meeting of the ladies' committee of the Protestant Orphanage is cancelled for Monday afternoon.

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WANTED—Girl waitress for restaurant, Alice Arm; experience not essential; $50 month with board and room; fare one way. Write S. C. Gordon, Alice Arm, B.C.

WANTED—A reliable woman for cleaning one day a week, Friday preferred. Colonist Box 4691.

WOMEN wanted for house work, three in family. Phone 2023R.

WANTED — Cook-general. Apply Mrs. George Rogers, Glanford Ave. Phone 942R2.

WANTED—Girls to wait on table evenings only. Apply 7-9 p.m., Criterion, Belmont House.

WANTED Immediately—Girl, 18 or 20, to help with housework, $30 to $35. Phone 5488.

WANTED—Help to assist in housework, good wages. Apply H. H. Brown, 730 Fort St.

WANTED—Governess to take charge of two little girls, 7 and 9; country home; must be gentlewoman. Apply P. O. Box 8, Westholme, V.I.

WANTED—Good saleslady to sell accident, sickness and life insurance to women; salary and commission. Call at once. The Griffith Company, Ltd., Hibben-Bone Bldg.

WANTED—Young experienced cook-general, small family, good wages. Phone 2614R.

WANTED—Housekeeper to widower with small house and no encumbrance. Apply Box 222, Colonist.

WANTED—Good general servant. Apply 1250 King's Road. Phone 3090L.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Inquire Holley's Restaurant, 622 Fort Street.

WAITRESS at Sooke Harbor Hotel, comfortable and congenial position for a refined young lady; preference and extra remuneration to one who plays piano; previous experience not essential. Apply the manager.

YOUNG girl to assist with housework. Phone 5949L. 1630 Amphion St.

YOUNG girl as mother's help, Foul Bay. Apply 424 Saraman St. Phone 3160X.

SITUATION WANTED—MALE 4

COMPETENT bookkeeper desires position, 15 years' experience in accounting. Apply Box 4595, Colonist.

EXPERIENCED gardener wants work of any kind by day. Phone 5814R2.

EXPERIENCED retail grocer wants situation; good references. Box 4815, Colonist.

GARDENING—Now is the time to prune your rose and fruit trees; wall trees and climbers properly pruned and neatly tied up; lawn making a specialty. James T. Godfrey. Phone 2772R.

GARDENING and pruning done by an expert gardener. Box 4325, Colonist.

MAN wants work digging gardens or fixing fences. Phone 4880R.

THIRD-CLASS engineer desires position, used to large plant, temporary or permanent. Colonist Box 4757.

UPHOLSTERING—Chesterfields and easy chairs made to order, jobbing attended to. Phone 2758R.

WANTED—Position as grocery packer or stockkeeper in wholesale warehouse; good discharge from last place. Apply A. R., 1257 Pandora.

JAPANESE youth wants position as schoolboy or small house work. Apply P.O. Box 814, City.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE 5

CAPABLE infant's or child's nurse wishes position with charge of nursery; good recommendation; would travel with family. Box 4477, Colonist.

CAPABLE person wants work evenings, 7 till 10. Box 4839, Colonist.

DAILY work, 30c hour. Phone 4556Y.

DAILY governess, disengaged. Phone 2494L.

EXPERIENCED bookkeeper and stenographer requires position. Phone 5829R3.

EXPERIENCED typist desires position, knowledge of shorthand, minimum wage not essential. Colonist Box 4800.

ENGLISH girl returning to England, would give assistance with children en route in return for fare. Perry, 444 Transit Road, Victoria.

FRENCH lady, has experience in nursing, would like to take care of invalid lady. Box 4649, Colonist Office.

FOR 30 years Canada's leading bicycle, the Massey Silver Ribbon; sold on time or cash. Plimley & Ritchie, 611 View.

FRENCH lady, expert hairdresser, waver, face and scalp massage, manicure, hair work, etc., will call at residences; moderate prices. A. W. C., phone 5042Y. 906 Cook St.

LADY minds children evenings. Phone 2691L.

HOUSEKEEPER for one or two people, quiet situation. Apply Colonist Box 4716.

HOUSEKEEPER, refined, capable, seeks re-engagement to widower; good cook. Box 4663, Colonist.

LADY with about ten years experience in office work and ledger, desires position. Apply Box 4451, Colonist.

LADY wishes position in store or partnership in good business. Box 4636, Colonist.

MILLINERY apprentice, 17 years, 2 years experience, desires position. Box 4630, Colonist.

POST desired as lady help by capable experienced English girl, town or country. Box 4790, Colonist.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE 5 (Continued)

SKILLED stenographer at present living in Alberta, having bank, trust company and secretarial experience, desires position in Victoria. Write Helen Russell, Suite 6, Lorraine Apartments, Calgary, Alberta.

WOMAN wants few hours' work daily, 30c hour. Phone 5167R.

WANTED—A situation as housemaid by thoroughly experienced English woman where parlormaid is kept. Box 4698, Colonist.

YOUNG woman wants work by the day or hour. Phone 3836L.

YOUNG lady travelling to England March or April, is willing to take charge of children or act as companion help to lady in return for payment of her fare. Apply Box 4357, Colonist.

DRESSMAKING 6

DRESSMAKING — Blouses, kimonos and alterations promptly done. Room 12, 1071½ Yates Street.

DRESSMAKING—Evening gowns, party frocks, Summer dresses, etc. Phone 5613Y. Madame Helene, 340 Michigan St.

DRESSMAKING done by the day. Apply 1263 Finlayson Ave. Mrs. Swanson.

DRESSMAKER wants work by day or at home. E. Macdonald, 816 Blanshard St. Phone 5612R.

FIRST-CLASS dressmaking. M. E. Clegg, 1133 Pandora. Phone 6596L.

EDUCATIONAL 7

BACKWARD pupils in arithmetic and mathematics, all exams, including engineers' and surveyors' honors graduate. Phone 5694X.

ENGINEERS instructed for examinations. W. G. Winterburn, M.I.N.A., 221 Central Building, Victoria, B.C.

FRENCH—Miss Montserrat, experienced French teacher, long resident in Paris, conversation by Berlitz method. Studio 849 Burdett Avenue.

PRIVATE lessons in public and high school subjects. 322 Central Building.

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SHORTHAND School, 1011 Government Street. Shorthand, typewriting, bookkeeping thoroughly taught; graduates filling good positions. A. E. McMillan, principal. Phone 374.

UKULELE, Mandolin, Hawaiian Steel Guitar, Banjo and Piano.
$4.50 for Eight Lessons.
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VERNON Preparatory School, Coldstream, B.C. Boys, 7-15. Largest in interior; fruit ranch; two trained nurses (English). (Revd.) Augustine Mackie, B.D., M.A. (Cantab.), Headmaster.

WANTED after Easter—A teacher for mathematics and science. Apply St. Margaret's School.

MUSIC 8

DOMINION Academy of Music, cor. Fort and Cook. Madame Webb, M.I.S.M., 736 R.A.M. successes, (44 last year, including L.A.B.). Phone 1921.

ERNEST SEMPLE, violinist and teacher. Leader Princess Theatre orchestra, 1248 Mitchell Street, Victoria, B.C. Phone 3747.

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MISS Maude Scruby, A.R.C.M., L.R.A.M., receives pupils. 922 Blanshard Street. Telephone 5733L.

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UKULELE and Hawaiian steel guitar taught to play in six to twelve weeks by the only Hawaiian teacher in British Columbia. J. K. Atcherley. Phone Douglas Hotel.

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MRS. R. SEMPLE — Pianist and experienced teacher of piano; pupils prepared for examination if desired. 1248 Mitchell Street. Phone 3747.

TO RENT—MISCELLANEOUS 9

WELL located store to rent with counters and shelves, at a very moderate rental. Apply 1127 Quadra Street, or phone 4505X.

FINANCIAL 11

IF interested in Salmon River District (Portland Canal), send for our free mining Bulletin. Consolidated Development Co., 210 Pemberton Building.

WANTED TO EXCHANGE 12

EXCHANGE FOR COAST PROPERTY

A REAL good Manitoba livery, feed and sale barn, also 2-car garage, in village of 700, no opposition, doing a good business; owner retiring. H. Sykes, General Delivery, Victoria.

4½-ACRE lot, Langford, near station, will exchange small lot with shack, Brentwood waterfront or vicinity. Braine, R.M.D. 2, Victoria.

FINE large lot, high and dry, for good Ford car. Phone 6519.

WANTED—A 6-roomed modern bungalow in exchange for 3 good lots and $250 cash, balance as rent. Box 3733, Colonist.

PERSONAL 13

CLOTHING which you do not wear can be turned into cash by phoning 401. Mrs. Shaw.

FOR 30 years Canada's leading bicycle, the Massey Silver Ribbon; sold on time or cash. Plimley & Ritchie, 611 View.

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LADY would like care of child, 4-6 years. Box 4650, Colonist.

NOTICE—March 1, 1920, here and after I Percy Howard Clark, will not be responsible for any bill or bills contracted by my wife, Mrs. P. H. Clark. Signed, Percy Howard Clark.

PRIVATE licensed maternity home, 920 Yates Street. Phone 981. Terms reasonable.

PRIVATE licenced maternity home, 1787 Second St. Phone 3280L.

WOULD anyone knowing the whereabouts or address of Thomas Fraser, machinist to trade; worked last August with Hutchinsons, engineers, Bay St., please communicate with Box 430 Prince Rupert, as wife and boy are seriously ill.

MISCELLANEOUS 40

NEW Method Laundry, Ltd., the sanitary way. 1015-17 North Park. L. D. McLean. Expert launderers. Telephone 2300.

PAINTING — Kalsomining, paperhanging. J. J. Ross, Pembroke and Quadra. Phone 3266.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS 14

ALL black soil and well-rotted and fresh manure delivered. Phone 168.

A LADY will call and buy all your high-class cast-off clothing. Spot cash. Phone Mrs. Hunt, 4021.

A REMEDY in time of need! All we ask is the key; we do the remainder, in town, out of town. Hudson Bros. Phone 2353.

A GOOD used player piano for sale, very reasonable, cash or terms. Apply Heintzman & Co., Ltd., opposite post office.

ANTIQUE EARLY VICTORIAN hand-carved drawing room suite. Apply 1403 Broad St.

"A SNAP"—$160 Thomas organ for $90, practically new, in perfect condition. 1209 Yates Street. Phone 1800.

AT Victoria Crockery Store, 420 Johnson Street. Crockery, tools, toys, ornaments. Good furniture wanted. Phone 2821.

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A NUMBER of people say: "As soon as business picks up I'll advertise." Just fancy the farmer saying: "I'll wait until harvest to sow my seed." We write and place every class of business advertising, do circular letters, addressing and mailing. Newton Advertising Agency, Suite 24, Winch Bldg., Victoria, B.C.

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BABIES' high chairs and commode chairs, from $1.50; folding sulkies from $3.50. 625 Pandora, opp. Market.

BUREAU, with 3 large drawers and bevel mirror, 19 x 28 in. Snap, $28.50. Island Exchange, 747 Fort Street.

BABY carriage, English style, almost new; [illegible]

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS 14 (Continued)

BUY natural leaf tobacco direct from farmers; no dosing or doctoring; just tobacco, 50c per lb., postpaid. Farmers' Retail Leaf Tobacco Association, Dukedom, Tenn. These people are reliable.—J. M. Welch, postmaster.

BABY carriage, dark navy, $35.50, new tires and new uncrackable hood, second to none in price and appearance. Don't miss this. Baby Carriage Exchange, 625 Pandora. Phone 6971.

BRAND new lady's tailor-made Spring suit for quick sale, $35. Further particulars phone 5284L.

BOBBINS and pillow lace outfit, fine linen thread for sale. Phone 5089L1.

BRIGHT housekeeping room, gas stove, fireplace; suitable for business lady. Phone 3952L, after 6.

BEST dry fir cordwood in 4 ft., $7.25; 12 in., 16 in., 24 in. blocks, per cord, $8.25, delivered city limits; 4 cords at $8 per cord. Phone 745.

RAIN hat, new, $4. Phone 4197X.

BEAUTIFUL high grade piano, cheap for cash; owner leaving town. 1036 Empress Avenue.

CEDAR posts, also good stove wood for sale. Southwell, Hyde Park, Colwood.

COX & DOUGAL, specialists in elevator and motor repairing, switchboard erections, private installations; meters and dynamos rewound and guaranteed. Estimates given. Stobart-Pease Bldg., Yates Street. Phones 5353, 2752R and 3419R.

COLUMBIA Grafonola, mahogany, $55; Phonola, $65; Victor, $27.50, and Edison, $12.50, six records. 625 Pandora, opposite Market.

CHILD'S cot, four feet long, white enameled, with drop side, complete with mattress, good condition, $12. Phone 481X.

C. P. ASKEY—Express and delivery one-ton motor truck, baggage and freight collected, checked and shipped, furniture removed, reasonable rates, 25 years in Imperial and Canadian armies. Phone 6460. 1329 Carnsew St., Fairfield.

DON'T hesitate—Phone 3408 if you have any furniture you wish to dispose of. Our representative will call and offer current prices. Island Exchange, 747 Fort St.

DINING room table and chairs, piano, bedroom furniture, carpets. Apply by letter or person, 241 Niagara Street.

DAVENPORT, leather upholstered, and 2 large easy chairs to match, all new. Price for quick sale, $120. Apply 1403 Broad St. Phone 747.

DAVENPORT—Upholstered in solid leather, equal to new, $75. Francis, 819 Yates Street, opposite Dominion Theatre. Phone 1153.

DO you want to sell your furniture or livestock? Then send to City Market Auction Sales, Tuesday or Friday, or phone 3484 or 5019L, and I will call.

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We are prepared to buy diamonds up to any quantity.

Before YOU SELL, let us make you a CASH OFFER.

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EXCEPTIONALLY good value in a Bell piano, terms or cash. Apply Heintzman & Co., Ltd., opposite post office.

ENGLISH baby carriage, dark green, large with new uncrackable hood and tires, $39.50. Baby Carriage Exchange, 625 Pandora, opp. Market.

EDISON Diamond Disc gramophone, mission oak, new, 24 records, double, $175 cash or terms. Box 4835, Colonist.

ENGLISH black frock coat in perfect condition, size 38, $30. Apply Colonist Box 4708.

FERTILIZER for sale—We have 50 tons of good fish that will make the very best kind of fertiliser. The price is very low. See The Griffith Co., Hibben-Bone Bldg.

FOR Sale—Piano, Heintzman Grand, with electric fixtures, beautiful instrument, $450 cash. Phone 906X.

THE YELLOW FRONT NEW AND SECOND-HAND STORE, G.W.V.

FOR Sale—Carpenters' and all kinds of mechanics' tools; picks, shovels, etc., small telescope, lady's wrist watch, gold ring, solid nugget setting, suit cases, traveling bag, etc., 636 Johnson St. Phone 6925.

FOR Sale—Remington, No. 10 model, new last year; no dealers. Apply Box 4866, Colonist.

FOR 30 years Canada's leading bicycle, the Massey Silver Ribbon; sold on time or cash. Plimley & Ritchie, 611 View.

FOR Sale—A beautiful dining room suite and sideboard. Apply mornings or evenings, 1621 Redfern Street, Oak Bay.

FOR Sale—3 h.p. 220-volt 3-phase motor, $85; also gent's bicycle, 24 in. frame, practically new, $30. Phone 3341R.

FOR Sale—One gal. Bowser gasoline pump $175. J. M. Smith, 3214 Quadra Street. Phone 6132R.

FOR Sale—Piano, child's cot, lawn mower, nearly new; also heater. Phone 3143R2.

FINE couch for sale, $15; also violin and case, $60. Phone 4478R.

FOR Sale—Iron bed and child's cot. Phone 6001Y.

FOR careful moving of your piano, phone Hudson Bros., 2353. We have the most up-to-date apparatus.

FINEST roots of rhubarb, raspberries, loganberries, gooseberries, black and red cherry currants, largest phenomenal blackberry and strawberry plants. M. N. Rudd, Buena Vista, Burnside Road. Market Stall 44 and 45.

FOR Sale—One practically new Brussels square and Restmore mattress. Phone 6888L.

FOR Sale—Remington typewriter, in good condition, No. 7; baby's reed go-cart, cot and two baby chairs in good condition. Apply Colonist Box 4571.

FOR Sale—One-quarter-plate Graflex camera, or will trade for typewriter. Box 4868, Colonist.

FUMED oak dining room suite, complete for $85; bargain. 1403 Broad Street. Phone 747.

FOR Sale—Small portable hand forge, $8. 2571 Florence Street.

FOR Sale—Lady leaving city—Single and double beds, springs and mattresses, Singer treadle sewing machine, two bureaus with bevel mirrors, cane rocker, good kitchen stove (the Elite), wringer, kitchen table, etc. Phone 6352R.

FOR Sale—Bath, basin and fittings, also Monarch range. 382 Fort St.

FOR Sale—3 stained tables, 8 ft. x 2 ft. 6 in., $5 each. 2207 Oak Bay Avenue.

FOR Sale—Rifle, 30 W. S. Winchester, $35; shot gun, 12 gauge, Westley Richards, good St., $55; rifle, 22 cal., $7.50; shot gun, 12 gauge, $15; shot gun, 410 gauge, $20; accordion, Hohner make, silver mounted, $35; long fur overcoat, $17.50; diamond pins, $35; diamond rings, buckle pattern, $32.50; gold filled Waltham watches, $12.50; Strad model violin, $35; electric bike lamps, $3.50; bike gas lamps, $3.50; bicycle outer tires, $2.75; best make inner tubes, $1.75; gent's bicycle, new tires and mudguards, $30; lady's bicycle, new tires and mudguards, $35; suit cases, $1.50; pocket knives, 15c; spectacles, 25c; spectacles to fit any sight; wool sox, 25c; canvas gloves, 15c. We stock parts to fit any bicycle. Jacob Aaronson's New and Second-hand Store, 581 Johnson St. Phone 735.

GRAMOPHONE and Blue Amberol records exchanged, 10c each. 625 Pandora, opp. Market.

GASOLINE tank, capacity 300 gallons, new, cost $75. Apply telephone 6076, Esquimalt Hospital.

GARAGE— May be used as a chicken house, $15. Phone 229X.

GARDEN Seats, large swing, all white enamelled, for sale. Phone 747.

HOUSES of furniture bought for spot cash. Phone 1153. Francis, 819 Yates Street, opposite Dominion Theatre.

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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS 14 (Continued)

KODAK with tripod and extra photographic lens, in perfect condition, for sale, $35. Phone 5284L.

LET me prove to you that I have the largest and cheapest moving van in the city. I don't want the price of your furniture or piano to move you; just a living wage.

PHONE J. VALLEY, 4818

LADY'S good Burberry tweed coat, medium, $15. Box 4647, Colonist.

LIME, 5c lb., any quantity, for spraying chicken houses. Eastern Stove Co., 848 Fort.

LADY'S new fashionable cape, this Spring's New York style. Phone 4410L.

LADY'S mahogany dresser and bric-a-brac, fine mirrors, cheap. 1403 Broad Street. Phone 747.

LAWN mowers sold, regular at $12 to $14, 4 blades, ball bearings; our price $8.50 and cheaper. Eastern Stove Co., 848 Fort.

MALLEABLE steel ranges, $2 per week. Phone 4682. 2001 Government St.

MASSIVE steel bed and spring, as new, $29.50. Island Exchange, 747 Fort St.

McCLARY airtight heater, in good order, a bargain, $8.50. Island Exchange, 747 Fort St.

MISSION oak dining room suite, new, complete for $80. Apply to the People's Furnishing Co., 1403 Broad St.

NEW Home sewing machine, $10.50, perfect order guaranteed. 625 Pandora.

NATHAN & LEVY—Dealers in second-hand clothing, watches, jewelry, etc. We buy and sell everything. 1422 Government Street.

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PLAYER-PIANO records (88 note), large selection, like new, selling at half price. Island Exchange, 747 Fort Street.

PIANO, Collard & Collard upright steel supported frame, $160, or offer; also lady's and gent's bicycle, new condition, $35 each, both $65. 550 Simcoe St., James Bay.

PIANO for sale, a bargain for cash; owner leaving city, must sell. Apply phone 4506X.

PLAYER piano, Heintzman's best, fumed oak case, bench and 60 records. 1039 Pemberton Road. Phone 418.

QUARTER-CUT oak dining table, 3 leaves, only $24.50. Island Exchange, 747 Fort Street.

PIANO — Heintzman, mahogany case, splendid tone and condition; snap $450 cash. Mrs. Dent, Craddock St., Esquimalt.

ROLL top office desk, typewriting table, swivel chair, all in mahogany finish; oak sideboard, fire basket, two large doors, suitable for garage; weigh beams for weighing 400 lbs. Phone 5760L.

RUBBER-TIRED two-wheel dog cart and light harness for sale. 905 Easter Rd.

ROLL-TOP oak office desk and chair, tilter, nearly new; price, the lot, $60. Apply 1403 Broad Street.

REFRIGERATOR, $10, new white enamel bed and dresser, $55. Phone 4547Y.

SPECIAL—Vinolia toilet soap, 45c box of 3 cakes; sweet pea, cold cream, English lavender and liril. Fawcett's Drug Store. Phone 630.

STOVE, dining room set, bed and other articles; house can be rented. Colonist Box 4841.

SPLENDID piano, "Brinsmead"; also fumed oak bedroom suite, cash. Phone 5921L. 30 Menzies St.

SOUTHALL — For reliable stoves and ranges, 832 Fort Street. Coils made, stoves connected, old stoves and ranges bought. Phone 4229.

SEE Select Auction Room ads. among displayed advts. John Bartholomew.

SPRINGTIME! All nature puts on new apparel. We make it possible for YOU. Shaw & Co., Victoria's select wardrobe (2nd hand), 735 Fort St., under the blue sign.

SIGNS AND SHOW CARDS. Phone 6825.

SOLDIERS, 'SHUN!—Have your overcoats dyed and remodelled at D. F. Sprinkling's, Uniform Tailors, McGregor Block. Phone 4100.

STRAWBERRY plants, good, 100,000 to offer, $6 per 1,000 cash with order, Magoons and Paxtons mixed, for fertilising purposes only. Simpson, 611 Superior. Phone 3966L.

TWO furnished rooms for housekeeping, cook stove, gas plate. Courtney St. Adults only. Phone 3952L.

THE Johnson motor wheel attachment turns your bicycle into a two-cylinder motorcycle in a few minutes at a cost of only $150. We have sold several and they are dandies. Plimley & Ritchie, Ltd., 611 View Street.

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WE carry a good selection of slightly used furniture, for parlor, dining and bedroom, at lowest prices in city. Call and inspect. We pay highest prices for good furniture, also exchange.

WHITE enamel bedroom suite, consisting of bed, spiral spring, No. 1 Restmore mattress, bureau, chiffonier and chair, all practically new. The lot, $105. Island Exchange, 747 Fort Street.

FURNITURE! FURNITURE! FURNITURE!

WHEN buying or selling furniture, remember the Returned Soldiers' Exchange gives you best value in the city. Address, 1419 Douglas Street. Phone 6484.

WIXEY'S home-made English meat pies at the market; turn to the right as you enter. "We make all we sell." Phone 3116.

YOUR old felts blocked and cleaned to look like new. Victoria Hat Factory, Broad and Fort Streets.

$150 BUFFET for $80. Apply 1403 Broad St. Phone 747.

65 NOTE PLAYER ROLLS at special bargain prices, only 150 rolls left, whole or separately. Heintzman & Co., Ltd., opposite post office.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS 15

A LADY will call and buy all your high-class cast-off clothing. Spot cash. Phone Mrs. Hunt, 4021.

A BUMPING price is what we pay for any kind of cast-off clothing. Call anywhere any time. Phone 2315.

ALL kinds of rags, metals, etc., bought by Veterans' Junk Co. Phone 2621, 1519 Wharf St.

ATTENTION! — Mrs. Hunt, wardrobe dealer, of Winnipeg and Calgary, is open to buy and sell high-class ladies', gent's and children's clothing, evening and party dresses; special offers for gentlemen's clothes. We pay spot cash to any amount. Business done strictly private. Mrs. Hunt will call herself to any address, or call at 812 Johnson Street, second house up from Blanshard. Phone 4021.

BEDROOM and kitchen furniture wanted. Colonist Box 4525.

BAND Instruments; state condition and price. Western Music House, 403 Hastings, Vancouver.

YES, THERE'S A REASON, AND THE REASON IS

I CAN give the highest cash price for all kinds of cast-off clothing, because I have the largest demand. Special offers for Men's Business Suits. Phone 3488. Mrs. Wardale, or call.

753 FORT STREET
Once tried, always convinced.

DOMINION JUNK CO., Parker & Keppen, 534 Johnson, cor. Store St., Victoria, B.C. Phone 4061. Buys and sells junk of all descriptions, machinery and loggers' supplies; highest cash prices paid for same. Strict attention given to all country and city orders.

DON'T burn that old stuff; turn it into money. We buy rags, bones, bottles, sacks, old magazines and newspapers, old metals, rubber, etc. Phone 5756 or write Wm. Allen, 2523 Rose Street.

FURNITURE wanted for cash—Shaw, phone 401; evenings 129R; will call anytime.

FOR 30 years Canada's leading bicycle, the Massey Silver Ribbon; sold on time or cash. Plimley & Ritchie, 611 View.

HIGHEST CASH PRICES paid for shotguns, rifles, carpenters' tools, clothing, trunks, valises, boots, machinery, diamonds and jewelry, etc. Jacob Aaronson's New and Second-hand Store, 581 Johnson Street. Phone 735.

LET us collect your bad accounts; no collection, no pay. The T. P. McConnell Mercantile Agency, 223A Pemberton Bldg.

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MRS. ODDY will pay the best prices for good furniture, carpets, etc. 1357 Douglas Street. Phone 2689.

MRS. CARTER—Good carpets, furniture, etc., bought and sold. Cor. Bay and Government Streets. Phone 5361.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS 15 (Continued)

VICTORIA Hat Factory will work wonders with your old tile. Broad and Fort.

LET THEM GO!

THEY have outlived their usefulness to you. No longer do they share as perhaps they never did. Why keep them? We refer to your discarded clothing. Men's suits, pants, etc. Ladies' dresses, suits, skirts, blouses, etc. We will call and pay you the highest prices. Phone 401 for appointment. Strictly confidential.

SHAW & CO.
735 Fort Street
Phones 401 and 129R. Estd. 15 years

WANTED—To purchase the furniture for 6 rooms, kitchen, bedroom, dining room, etc. Particulars in confidence to Box 3843, Colonist.

WANTED—Office furniture at once. Phone 747.

WANTED—Stock roots. Phone Belmont 27X.

WANTED—Cord wood, limit 2,000 to 3,000 cords. Box 4777, Colonist.

WANTED—Good toned piano, cheap for cash. Colonist Box 4566.

WANTED—Old bicycles and parts in any condition. Victory Wreckage Cycle Works, Phone 735, 581 Johnson Street. Will call at any address.

WANTED—To rent car with starter, roadster preferred; few afternoons weekly, pleasure only; best care. P.O. Box 311.

WANTED—Good's Map of Victoria. Box 4605, Colonist.

WANTED—Second-hand cash register. What offers? P. O. Box 310, Duncan.

WANTED—A greenhouse, about 8 ft. by 12 ft. Phone 3742R after 6.

WANTED—Second-hand four-holed stove; must be in good condition. Colonist Box 4573.

WANTED—Electric hand drill; state price and size. Box 4693, Colonist.

WANTED—Player piano rolls, any quantity. Phone 6971 or 5023L.

WANTED—Baby carriage. Phone 5923L.

WANTED—Gramophone records and Blue Amberol records. Phone 6971.

WANTED—Doll's buggy and child's high chair. Phone 5923L.

WANTED — Edison Amberola, cheap. Phone 5923L.

WANTED—Clean cotton rags for wiping machinery. Colonist Job Dept.

WANTED—Three tents, 12x14 or larger, with fly tops, at a reasonable price, and in good condition. Phone 747.

WE pay top prices for clothing, furniture, stoves, old teeth and anything of value. Call anywhere anytime. Phone 2315.

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ROOM AND BOARD 16

A NICE large room, suitable for two gentlemen, with board. 151 Government Street.

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LADY willing to board one or two children at her own home, can give good references; terms moderate. Apply 1357 Pandora.

ROOM and board, nice location, near car and beach. Phone 1134Y.

ROOM and board for single man in private family; terms moderate. Phone 6501.

ROOM and board for young gentleman, near the city. Apply 471 Gorge Road, city end.

ROOMS with board, also day board, moderate terms. 915 Blanshard.

2 BEDROOMS, with meals, breakfast and evening dinner, for gentlemen; near sea; nice location. 890 Niagara Street. Phone 6942L.

WANTED—ROOM AND BOARD 17

LADY would like to find room and board with private family; would pay $35 per month. Apply Box 4361, Colonist.

SINGLE man would like room and board with private family near carline. Box 4836, Colonist.

YOUNG man requires room and board in private family; state terms. Colonist Box 4468.

YOUNG man requires room and board, private family preferred, within easy walking distance of city; state terms. Apply Colonist Box 4716.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT 19

BLOCK from Parliament Buildings, exceptionally nice front bedroom, modern, private home. 567 Michigan St.

BRUNSWICK HOTEL, 50c night and up; $3.00 weekly and up; best location; no bar. Yates and Douglas. Phone 6076L.

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NICELY furnished room, close in. Phone 1305L.

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ONE or two furnished rooms to rent with use of kitchen, open fireplace, telephone, bath. 1131 Johnson St.

ROOM, light housekeeping, also bedroom vacant about 14th; suit business gentleman. 932 Blanshard.

TWO furnished rooms to rent, Oak Bay, 2 minutes from car; breakfast if desired; gentlemen. Phone 4279R.

TO Rent—Upper story of private house, kitchen, dining room, bedroom, nicely furnished, every convenience; adults only; 5 minutes from city. 2011 Burdett Avenue, near Vancouver.

THREE nicely furnished rooms, big garden, 35 fruit trees, all kinds of berries, cow stable, chicken house, coal shed, everything modern; adults only. Phone 5479Y. Box 4531 Colonist.

TO Rent—One block from Dallas Road, pleasant front bedroom downstairs, suitable for either one or two gentlemen, breakfast if desired; terms moderate. Apply 63 Oswego St., or phone 4509R after 2 p.m.

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FOR Rent—Large housekeeping room, James Bay. Phone 3382R.

FURNISHED housekeeping room, 1128 Grant St.

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms. 1009 Johnson St.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms, 901 Burdett. Phone 4506L.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms, unfurnished or partly furnished. 312 St. James St. Phone 6096L.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms, unfurnished or furnished. Apply 1157 Johnson Street. Phone 3894L.

LARGE furnished room, first class, central, all modern, domestic; also single room; breakfast if desired. 641 Superior St.

SUITE of unfurnished rooms to rent, on Oak Bay Avenue. Phone 5173L.

TWO unfurnished housekeeping rooms, central. Phone 6121R.

TWO housekeeping rooms for rent. Apply 1621 Quadra, two blocks from City Hall.

TO Let—Two unfurnished housekeeping rooms near Beacon Hill; no children. Colonist Box 4497.

WANTED—HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS 20

WANTED—Unfurnished room for elderly lady of quiet habit, preferably Fairfield. Box 4745, Colonist.

WANTED—By couple, 2 convenient housekeeping rooms with use of part stable for cow, or small house with stable. Box 4553, Colonist.

WANTED—Housekeeping room or partial board in private family, near waterfront preferred. Colonist Box 4723.

FLATS AND APARTMENTS TO RENT 21

APARTMENTS for rent, furnished or unfurnished at the Central Park Apartments, corner Queens and Vancouver Sts.

BEACON Hill, furnished flat, adults. 646 Simcoe. Phone 3866R.

FURNISHED or unfurnished 5-room suite, adults, garage. 271 Michigan.

FOUR-roomed flat, modern; also two rooms and bath. Apply 1127 Quadra Street, or phone 4509X.

FOR Rent—Unfurnished 4 rooms, steam-heated apartment, possession immediately. Phone 5745L.

FURNISHED apartment to rent at the Broadway Apartments. Phone 3557.

ONE unfurnished room in steam heated suite, use of kitchen and bath, close in. Suit business lady. Phone after 6, 2984X.

THREE-ROOMED furnished suite, central, Carlton, 711 Pandora St. Phone 4748R.

4 LARGE, airy, bright rooms with grates, newly decorated, private bath, etc., near Parliament Buildings. Colonist Box 4738.

WANTED TO RENT—FLATS AND APARTMENTS 22

WANTED—Small furnished flat for month of April, Oak Bay preferred, adults. Bird, telephone 3816L.

TO RENT—HOUSES 23

ALWAYS satisfactory—Removals by Carter Co. Phone 5882. Furniture, pianos, baggage, freight.

A FOUR-roomed cottage, Fairfield, Ross Bay. Phone 3683X.

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FOR Rent—7-roomed bungalow, ¼ of an acre of good garden, some fruit trees, good place for chickens, building suitable for garage, close in, No. 623 Esquimalt Rd., vacant 15th March, rent $35 per month. If occupied by two families, $20 per month each family. Apply to D. Fraser, Colonist Office, Phone 11.

FOR Rent—7-roomed bungalow, partly furnished, vacant April 7. 2740 Asquith Street.

FOR Sale—Summer cottage at Cordova Bay, partly furnished. Phone 5577L.

FOR rent, small store, with living rooms above, rent $10 per month, vacant April 1st. Can be used as dwelling house. Apply 2515 Turner St., City.

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HOUSE to Let, 859 Cormorant Street. Apply 1608 Quadra Street.

HOUSE to Rent—9 rooms, Fairfield, $40 per month. A. S. Barton, Wise & Co., 111 Pemberton Bldg.

REGINA Avenue, $10 a month, available at once; Pembroke Street, $10 a month, available at once; Regina Avenue, $10 a month, available March 24. Wise & Co., 109 Pemberton Bldg.

TWO-room shack, clean, to let at once for young couple, no children, with light and water and close to sea and car. Apply 215 Beechwood Ave., Foul Bay.

TO Let—Partly furnished six-roomed modern house with furnace, $25 per month. Apply 1285 Esquimalt, or Phone 1012.

TO Let—Five-roomed house in Fairfield, to be kalsomined. Apply Currie & Power.

THE biggest equipment (motor) in town; cheap rates. The Safety Storage Co., Ltd. Phone 497. Night phone 6259L.

4-ROOMED house for rent, vacant 16th March, rent $20 per month. 598 Dunedin St.

4-ROOMED modern house, $16. Apply 478 Dupplin Road, end Douglas car.

WANTED TO RENT—HOUSES 24

A COTTAGE, or small house, close to the city, or near to a carline; would be willing to purchase the whole or a portion of the furnishings if price is reasonable. Apply Mrs. Dowling, care Colonist, or phone particulars to care of 6296R.

WANTED—First April, 6 or 8-roomed fully modern semi-bungalow, good garden, Foul Bay or Fairfield. Phone 5816R2(?).

WANTED—Small waterfront cottage or camp for Summer months in Shawnigan or Cowichan districts. Address Box 4772, Colonist, Victoria.

WANTED—To rent or lease for year by April 1, small modern house or bungalow, near car, young married couple, careful tenants. Box 4762, Colonist.

WANTED by April 1, 6 or 8-room modern cottage, with garage; careful tenant, no children. Phone 225[illegible].

WANTED—To rent 3 or 4-roomed house at Shawnigan Lake; would lease for year or longer. Phone 524R.

WANTED—To rent 5 to 6-room modern bungalow, careful, steady tenant; no children; would consider lease. Phone 6799.

WANTED—5 or 6-roomed house to rent or lease with option to purchase. Any district, with or without basement; must be good lot and close to some carline; careful tenants, no children. A. M. Gregg, Suite 25, Mount Edwards Apts., city.

WANTED TO RENT—FURNISHED HOUSES 25

WANTED—To rent small furnished house, close in. Box 4750, Colonist.

WANTED—Immediately, well furnished 6 or 8-roomed house, must be four bedrooms, close in. Apply Colonist Box 4749.

TO RENT FURNISHED HOUSES 26

COWMEN and dairymen—Attention—For sale 5-acre with barn for 16 head; milk house and small shack on property, 15 minutes on B. C. interurban line, 100 ft. from station; plenty of free pasture. Price $850(?). Apply 2333 Oak Street. Phone 6093L, for appointment to view property.

FURNISHED 7-roomed modern house on Skinner St. for rent, $60, March 15. Phone 2800(?).

ONE-room furnished cottage to rent. [illegible] Road, Oak Bay. Phone 2251L.

TO RENT—FURNISHED HOUSES 26 (Continued)

TO Rent—Furnished six-roomed house, 1413 Pembroke St. Apply 2035 Stanley Ave.

TO Rent—A modern bungalow, furnished, on large lot, fruit trees and garden, to responsible party only. Apply Craddock St., Esquimalt.

TO Rent to responsible tenant for seven months, perhaps longer, a nice modern six-roomed house, five rooms furnished, in Fairfield, fifth house from carline and jitneys, near sea and park; house equipped with furnace, fireplace, coal and gas stoves, electric light, hot and cold water, telephone. Outside equipment, garage, henhouse, vegetable garden; $50 per month. Can see house after 3 p.m. 140 Moss St. Phone 2729Y.

TO Rent—8-roomed house, 6 rooms furnished, piano, $50; or would sell part furniture. Phone 6940L.

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POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK 27

A FEW settings of my first utility and first exhibition stock Buff Orpingtons, $2 up. Foubister, 1441 Walnut St. Phone 5723R.

A BREEDING pen of bred-to-lay Wyandottes, and one of White Leghorns, for sale; also prize winning Red cockerels. Particulars at 1315 Fairfield Road.

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A FEW laying pullets left, $3. Please reserve baby chickens and hatching eggs early. Demand is heavy. White Leghorns and Wyandotte eggs, $2 to $3.50 per setting. Chickens 30c to 55c. Watson & Mineard, Philwin Poultry Plant, 103-115 Moss Street. Phone 1752L.

AYRSHIRE-Holstein cow, guaranteed 4 gallons, milking, $200; two white Yorkshire sows, 3 months, $40 each; 30 hens and pullets, $75. Phone 5814R2.

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BROODY hens wanted. Apply 2417 Cedar Hill Road. Phone 2542.

BABY chicks or hatching eggs, White Leghorns only; any quantity at any time. H. A. Hincks, Langford. Phone 1242, or Belmont 2.

BUFF Orpington eggs, $3 per setting, good stock. Holmes, 1318 Clover Ave., Fairfield.

BUFF Orpington chicks with or without mother. Phone 2132R2.

BUY your hatching eggs, various breeds, prices right, inspection invited, from the "Old Reliable Farm," Seaview Poultry Farm, 422 Dallas Road. Phone 6960.

CHICKEN house, portable, new, 7x8. Apply 345 Irving Road, Foul Bay.

CALVES wanted, best price paid. Phone 5066R.

EGGS for hatching—White Wyandottes, Columbia Wyandottes, S. C. and R. C. Rhode Islands, Barred Rocks, Black Minorcas, Anconas $1.50 per setting. Mrs. Bayley, 897 Old Esquimalt Road, or Phone 4797R.

DUCK eggs, Fawn and White Runners, $1.50 per setting. S. L. Jones, Derby Road, P.O., Gen. Deliv., Victoria.

FOR Sale—3 Flemish Giant does and 1 buck. Apply 1321 Vining St.

EGGS for hatching—Rhode Island Reds and Rose Comb White Leghorns, $1.50; Indian Runner duck eggs 10c each. Mrs. Veness, Colwood.

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FOR Sale—Buff Orpington rooster. 1857L.

FOR Sale—Single plough with harness. Phone 5707L2.

FOR Sale—Leghorn rooster (Ismay strain), a fine healthy bird in splendid condition for breeding purposes. Phone 4934X.

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FOR Sale—5 good grade heifers, due in few weeks. J. Richards, Shelbourne St., near Feltham Road. Phone 3095L.

FOR Sale—1 turkey gobbler for stock. Phone 1880L.

FOR Sale—4 White Leghorn cockerels, suitable for breeding. Phone 5836L1.

FOR 30 years Canada's leading bicycle, the Massey Silver Ribbon; sold on time or cash. Plimley & Ritchie, 611 View.

FOR Sale—8 brown Leghorns, 10 months old. Apply Summers, 1981 Fourth, off Foul Bay Road.

FOR Sale—Goose eggs, 15c each. Phone L9. Mrs. McKay, Keating.

FOR Sale—30 hens for $100. 122 Olive St. Phone 1686L.

FOR Sale—A pair of geldings, 8 years old, sound and guaranteed, weight 1,400 each, a 3-in tire farm wagon, a one-horse farm wagon, a single buggy; also a lot of harness, plow, harrow, mowing machine, a 4 year old cow, just fresh. Apply J. Valley, 554 David St.

FOR Sale—Pen of 10 Rhode Island Red hens and one cockerel, unrelated, $2.75 each. Phone 3409L.

FOR Sale—Several fresh cows, yearlings and other good cows, 2 heifers, 4 and 5 years old, new set harness. Mrs. Walker's, The Rocks, McKenzie Ave.

FOR Sale—Team of horses, double and single harness, wagon, etc. Randy Nursery, Cloverdale Ave. Phone 2357.

FOR Sale—Genuine thoroughbred Ancona settings. 636 Dunedin St. Phone 3784L.

FOR Sale—Six pullets, mixed breed, $2 each; also one young gobbler; price $8. P. G. Francis, Parson's Bridge, Burnside Road.

FOR Sale Friday—Five good cows, including Holstein and Jerseys, at City Market Auction.

FOR Sale Today—Four good cows, at City Market Auction.

FOR Sale—Hens, W. Wyandotte hens; would exchange for breeders. Phone 5095R.

FOR Sale—One Jersey cow 7 years, freshen May 1, one Jersey-Durham heifer, freshen April 1; one Holstein-Jersey heifer one year old. Lawnmower and catcher, like new; also 50 feet rubber hose and nozzle complete. Semple, Colquitz.

FOR Sale—Breeding pen of White Wyandottes, 12 hens and rooster. Apply Suite 5, Leland Apts.

FOR Sale—Fine gander for breeding. Apply King George Cafe, 1420 Government Street.

POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK 27 (Continued)

FOR Sale—Wyandotte eggs from champion laying strain, $1 and $1.25 setting. Apply 2149 Cook St.

FOR Sale—125-egg incubator in good condition. Call at 1730 First Street, after 6:30 p.m.

FOR Sale — One four-year-old mare, weight 1,300 lbs., subject to veterinary inspection, quiet and all work. Also for sale 20 yearling ewes in lamb. Apply Locke & Son, phone 1734.

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TWO horses, wagon, harness and top for sale, cheap. 859 Yates Street.

WANTED—Manure. Woodward's Nursery, Fairfield Road. Phone 918.

WANTED—Broody hens. Phone 6899R.

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1 HOLSTEIN, 4 years old, fresh; 1 grade Holstein, 3 years old, milking; 1 Holstein, 2 years; 1 Jersey, 4 years, both freshen this month. P. O. Reilly, Carey Road, opposite McKenzie Ave. School.

AUTOMOBILES 28

AUTO BARGAINS

A LIGHT 1918 OVERLAND ROADSTER—electric lights, Bosch magneto, small tires, in good condition; $600, easy terms.

CHALMERS TORPEDO MODEL—Electric lights, generator, Bosch magneto, etc.; $750, easy terms.

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FOR Sale—5-passenger Ford, good condition, cheap. Apply 412 Kerr Ave.

FOR sale, Overland car; owner leaving town; snap buy. Phone 2929.

FOR Sale—5-passenger automobile, in good condition, five good tires. Phone 4994X. No dealers.

FOR Sale—McLaughlin car, in good condition; a snap; price $475. Phone 6193.

FOR Sale—Chevrolet, 1919 model, good condition, run 4,500 miles, $800 cash; owner leaving town. 651 Battery St. Phone 3240R.

FOR Sale—1917 model Chevrolet, in good working order, new tires and new battery. A bargain for cash. Box 4745, Colonist.

AUTOMOBILES 28 (Continued)

FOR 30 years Canada's leading bicycle, the Massey Silver Ribbon; sold on time or cash. Plimley & Ritchie, 611 View.

FOR Sale—Ford touring car, late model. Apply owner, 2932 Colquitz Ave., or phone 6660Y1.

FOR Sale—New 34x4 inner tube, Federal. Apply 1403 Broad St.

FOR Sale—1913 Cadillac in good condition; a snap for cash. Phone 2556R2.

FOR Sale—7-passenger Studebaker, in good order. Apply Oak Bay Garage, opposite Oak Bay Hotel. Phone 597.

FOR Sale—Five-passenger car, in good condition, good tires. 1031 Pandora.

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FOR Sale—Ford bullet car, good condition, $300. Phone 6492R.

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A HIGH-CLASS home of 7 rooms, situated in the best part of the Fairfield District, large living room with beamed ceiling and open fireplace, nicely finished den, dining room with panelled walls and beamed ceiling, HARDWOOD FLOORS, 3 large bedrooms all with closets, linen closet, balcony and sleeping porch, kitchen with pantry and scullery, cement basement with HOT WATER HEATING, laundry tubs and toilet, full size lot; $7,500.

7-ROOM modern house, good locality, Oak Bay, cement basement with furnace, stationary laundry tubs and toilet, kitchen and pantry with all built-in features, nicely finished dining room, den, with open fireplace, large living room with open fireplace and window seats, 3 bedrooms with closets in each one with stationary basin, very nice bathroom and linen closet, very large lot; $6,800.

A. T. ABBEY CITY BROKERAGE
506 Union Bank Building

ARE you looking for a good home, cheap? See the Crown Realty, over Imperial Bank.

BEACON HILL PARK nine-room house, close to the park, within twelve minutes' walk to the post office, hard wood floors, two toilets, two fireplaces, garage, built-in effects and everything necessary in a good residence. Price, on terms, $7,000; immediate possession.

A. A. MEHAREY
408-9 Sayward Bldg.

BY Owner—Five-room bungalow, hall (burlapped), passage, bathroom, pantry, full basement, half cemented, furnace, bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen in white enamel, all just re-decorated; fireplace, buffet, bookcase, diningroom panelled; fenced lawn, cement paths; taxes $1,350; near car and bus; price $3,450; terms. Blinds, linoleum included. Four-room modern bungalow, sleeping porch and unfinished room upstairs; hall, open fireplace, buffet, bathroom, big pantry and cooler; full basement, half cemented, cement paths, fine lot, well fenced, with shrubs and trees. Taxes $17.50. Price $2,500, terms. Phone 4914R.

BUNGALOW, 4 ROOMS, bath, toilet, full cement basement, garden with fruit trees, fine healthy surroundings, near Park, water and car; price $2,200, with $500 cash and balance monthly payments.
H. AMPHLETT G. C. HOWELL
101 Union Bank Building

FOR sale by owner, 2 lots in fruit trees and with good shack and garage, chicken house and woodshed all fenced, with city water. Phone and electric light. On 3-mile circle. Phone 4074L.

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COMFORTABLE cottage near High School, containing five rooms on a good lot. This place is not new but an exceedingly good buy at $2,600, on easy terms.

OAK BAY District, very comfortable, well-built home, living room, dining room, burlap, panelled, plate rail, bookcase and handsome oak mantel, kitchen, three bedrooms, bathroom, full basement, good lot. A bargain at the price of $3,750.

GRANT & LINEHAM LTD.
(Established 1898)
Phone 664 1602 Douglas Street

FORT STREET, CLOSE IN—Well-built 8-room house and nice lot in garden, to be sacrificed for cash, $2,250; taxes are not high. This is the best offering we have had this year. It will pay you to get quick action.
H. AMPHLETT G. C. HOWELL
101 Union Bank Building

FIFTY homes to select from at prices from $1,500 to $8,000. Crown Realty, over Imperial Bank.

FOR Sale by owner, modern house, best part Oak Bay, 4 bedrooms, hardwood floors, hot water heating, garage, close to golf links. Apply to P.O. Box 612.

FOR Sale—Modern 5-room bungalow with large attic, full size basement, fireplace, etc., high location, near Fernwood fire hall, on easy terms; also 3-room place on large lot, fenced. Apply 2656 Cedar Hill Road.

FAIRFIELD BARGAIN—5-roomed modern bungalow, beamed ceilings, dining room and living room panelled, nicely papered throughout, furnace fitted with hot water coils, nice lot; for quick sale, $3,500. Terms. W. S. Brown, 620 Sayward Building.

FIVE-ROOM modern bungalow, cement foundation and piped for furnace, standing on level lot 100x150, all good garden soil, cultivated, ½-block from carline. The best buy in the city today; $2,500, terms.
H. AMPHLETT G. C. HOWELL
101 Union Bank Building

FOUL Bay home of eight delightfully arranged rooms, numberless built-in features, redecorated throughout, furnace; sacrifice $3,650, terms.
H. AMPHLETT G. C. HOWELL
101 Union Bank Building
Phone 5900

FOR Sale—Five-roomed house on large lot, near Parliament Bldgs.; will accept Victory bonds. Phone 1408L.

FOR Sale—Furnished, in the Fairfield, five-roomed bungalow, all modern, cement basement, hot air furnace. Immediate possession. Price $3,400, terms. Quick action necessary for this snap. Apply P. R. Brown, 1112 Broad Street.

FOR Sale—Two-room cottage, near sea, modern, toilet and electric light, Fairfield District. Phone 4141.

FOR Sale—3-roomed shack, on large lot, good soil, fenced. Corner Obed and Davida; $1,000, terms. Apply 259 Kerr Avenue, Gorge.

FOR Sale—A fine list of homes, priced from $1,150 up. The Gold Ring Investment Company, 3033 Cedar Hill Road.

A. W. JONES, LIMITED
1002 Broad Street Phone 198

FAIRFIELD ESTATE—Modern 5-roomed bungalow, nice location, close to carline, light taxes; price $2,600, $400 cash, balance on easy terms.

OAK BAY—Six-roomed house in good location, nice lot with shade trees, taxes reasonable, house in very good condition. Price $3,250, easy terms can be had if necessary.

OAK BAY—Five-roomed house, with modern conveniences, on good street, close to beach, 3 more rooms could be added at very small cost, within easy reach of good street car.

We have a complete list of Oak Bay property, and will be pleased to show them to intending purchasers.

FOR Sale—Six-roomed house on Foul Bay Road, having all modern improvements. Colonist Box 4699.

FOR sale in Fairfield, a 2-room house, bath and pantry, full size lot, improvement tax paid; clear title; price $1,200; half cash. Phone 3526L.

FOUR-room house, Cloverdale, near car; for quick sale, $850.

FAMILY house, strictly modern and substantial, hardwood floors, built-in effects, garage, lot 60x120, first-class, high and dry site, $6,000, on terms.

SUMMIT Avenue, 6-room house and two lots, garage, chicken house; most healthy place in city, $4,750.

THREE-room cottage on 2 lots, 1½ miles out; very easy terms, $1,000.

E. WHITE & SONS
108 Pemberton Block.

FIVE-room new bungalow, nicely furnished, $3,600. Owner. Phone 4443Y.

GORGE DISTRICT—Fully furnished 4-room house, full basement and large lot, splendid soil, fruit trees and small fruit, on improved street near carline; a very comfortable home complete; $1,950, easy terms.
H. AMPHLETT G. C. HOWELL
101 Union Bank Building

LINDEN AVENUE—Splendidly built cement stucco house of 7 rooms. The rooms in this house are particularly well arranged and the panelling and decorations are of the finest. Full cement dry basement and furnace, garage and pleasant grounds, an ideal home. We are offering this house below market price; $7,000, on terms. This is in the highest part of Fairfield Estate.
H. AMPHLETT G. C. HOWELL
101 Union Bank Building

MODERN home, with four or five bedrooms. Must be on high ground, with from one-half to two acres. State location, price and terms to responsible buyer. Box No. 4114 Colonist.

NICELY situated and commanding an excellent view; a modern 8-roomed dwelling with hot water heating, just recently decorated throughout, garage and outbuildings. Also 4 acres of land with fruit trees, small fruit, etc. Can give immediate possession. B.C. Land & Investment Agency, 922 Government St. Phone 125.

ON the three-mile circle, up-to-date residence, 9 rooms, every convenience and strictly modern, together with seven acres of choice ground, orchard with 300 bearing fruit trees, close to car, very cheap at $14,000. A. H. Harman, 704 Fort Street.

PEDDER BAY waterfront, nice bungalow, with modern conveniences, five rooms, etc. Splendid water supply and twenty-five acres of land. This is not strictly a farming proposition but is a choice gentleman's estate. Price $6,750 the lot. A. H. Harman, 704 Fort Street.

ROCKLAND Avenue, ten-room beautiful home for sale by owner, with furniture if desired. Phone 3563L.

SMALL house, $60. Apply 723 Broughton Street.

MOUNT TOLMIE

NEW 5-roomed bungalow, modern and piped for furnace, outhouses and good garden; $3,600; lot 52x154, and can give whatever extra land is required up to 1½ acre. Choice position that will rapidly raise in value.

A. H. HARMAN
704 Fort Street

MODERN and attractive four-roomed bungalow in choice section of Oak Bay, bath, pantry, cement basement, large lot, fruit trees and small fruits; $3,600, terms.
H. AMPHLETT G. C. HOWELL
101 Union Bank Building
Phone 5900

NEAR FORT ST., 7-roomed fully modern residence, cement basement, furnace, garage, etc., 60x120, $3,750. W. S. Brown, 620 Sayward Building.

OAK BAY Five-room bungalow, granite piers in front, garden, garage, full cement basement, piped for furnace, built-in features, very good electric fixtures. This is in a splendid location among good houses. There is no mortgage to assume. Price, on terms, $4,300.

A. A. MEHAREY
408-9 Sayward Bldg.

OLIVER STREET, OAK BAY—Modern 7-room house, large reception room, basement, furnace, good garden, near car, select surroundings; a most comfortable home, reasonably priced, $4,300.
H. AMPHLETT G. C. HOWELL
101 Union Bank Building

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TODAY'S SNAPS

BELMONT AVENUE—
We offer for a quick sale a lovely 9-roomed house in a choice part of Belmont Ave., close to Oak Bay street car. The dining room is beamed and panelled with open fireplace, drawing room with built-in seats, large den with open fireplace. Nice sunroom, large kitchen, pass pantry with built-in shelves and glass doors. Full basement, partly cemented and good hot air furnace. There are 4 large bedrooms upstairs with nice clothes closets, etc. Bathroom finished in white enamel. Toilet separate. All rooms are large and commodious. The lot is a large one with 70 feet frontage, western exposure, granite wall. The owner paid $12,500 for this property a short time ago, but his business calls him to another city and he has instructed us to sell for the exceedingly low price of $9,000 with $1,500 cash and the balance to be arranged.

VANCOUVER STREET—
We have been instructed by the owner who has clear title to dispose of his lovely semi-bungalow on one of the choicest parts of Vancouver Street, close to park, sea and street car. There are 3 large bedrooms, each with large clothes closets, linen closet, bath and separate toilet, white enamelled, reception hall, drawing room and large den, each with open fireplace, dining room beamed ceiling, kitchen, pantry with cupboards and shelves, conservatory off dining room, fully cemented basement with billiard room, hot water system, garage; lot 50x120 well laid out. This is a real good home and we consider it a very good buy at $7,800, with $3,000 cash, and balance arranged.

GORGE—
¾-acre with 6-roomed fully modern

HOUSE BARGAINS

FAIRFIELD—Richardson St., close in, fine modern 7-roomed residence, all large rooms in splendid condition, full cement basement, furnace, wash tubs, garage, full lot, a most desirable home; owner leaving city, good opportunity; only $5,750.

FAIRFIELD—8-roomed modern, 1 bedroom downstairs and 3 upstairs, fireplace, built-in features, cement basement, furnace, gas; quick sale, $5,250.

FERNWOOD Bargain—Close to hospital and carline, good modern 5-roomed bungalow, full basement, lot 100x150, all cultivated and planted. Quick sale, $2,500, terms.

GOVERNMENT ST. SPECIAL BARGAIN, 2 blocks from Park and 3 blocks from Parliament Bldgs., 8-roomed modern house, 1 bedroom downstairs and 3 bedrooms upstairs, fireplaces, large cement basement, furnace, well built, in good condition; extra large lot; low taxes. Quick sale to close an estate; $4,200.

BURNSIDE ROAD—Close in, 6 rooms, modern, 1½ story house, full cement basement, lot 47x235, all good land, cultivated, also small house, rented, chicken houses; low taxes. Exclusively. Quick sale, $3,300.

OAK BAY—Fine 6-roomed fully modern bungalow, close in, near car, basement, furnace, full lot, garage; a snap at $4,400.

We would appreciate your listings and can sell your property if the price is right.

BAGSHAWE & CO.
324-325 Sayward Bldg.

ANOTHER BIG SNAP IN FAIRFIELD

HERE is something worth looking into. An exceptionally well-built story and half bungalow, 7 rooms, full size cement basement, furnace, nice living room with open fireplace, dining room, kitchen with all kinds of built-in features and nice bedrooms. This nice home is within easy walking distance of town and situated on one of the nicest streets in Fairfield. Price, $4,200, on easy terms. A. M. Gregg & Co., 130 Pemberton Blk.

HOLLYWOOD CRESCENT—6-room modern bungalow, cement basement and walks, furnace, open fireplace, built-in features; view over sea and mountains from reception room and dining room, good garden soil. Priced for quick sale, $4,000.
H. AMPHLETT G. C. HOWELL
101 Union Bank Building

A BEAUTIFUL COUNTRY HOME

IN order to close an estate we are offering a beautiful country home at Langley (about 1 hour from Vancouver), at a remarkably low price. The house has ten rooms and is absolutely modern; interior finished in white enamel. The outbuildings, piggery, etc., are of the most modern description, and everything is operated by electricity. There are 22½ acres of land. This is a very attractive property and the price has been reduced from $17,000 to $10,500.

PEMBERTON & KITTO
606-7 Sayward Bldg. Phone 5343
Real Estate, Notary, Timber, Mines.
Listings Wanted.

house, full basement, stationary tubs, 2 good fireplaces, stable for 3 cows, frontage of 210 feet. High and dry, close to street car and bus with good view of Gorge waters; $5,800. Terms arranged.

MOSS STREET—
A lovely little 5-roomed California bungalow, beamed, panelled and modern in every respect with gas and furnace with hot water coils, close to sea and street car; $3,675, terms arranged.

PEARL STREET—
4-roomed bungalow, new, water and light; $1,600, one-half cash.

BOUCHIER STREET—
4-roomed bungalow, room in attic for spare, bath and toilet, real good lot, chicken run, garage, fenced; 1 open fireplace; $2,650 with $700 cash, balance arranged by monthly payments if desired.

We have several other good buys on our list and invite inspection.

Listings appreciated, especially for small bungalows in good districts.

THE BRITISH AMERICAN BOND CORPORATION, LTD.
723 Fort Street

SIX-ROOMED HOUSE

NESTLING in a beautifully treed nook high above every view-obstructing obstacle; from the east window Oak Bay waters can be seen, from the west windows Esquimalt water can be seen, from the south can be seen the whole of the snow-capped Olympic range. This home faces a beautiful park-like area, and is modern in every respect; lot 150 feet deep, chicken house and run, etc. We want to sell this one Monday. Price $2,700, terms.

A. E. MITCHELL
408 Union Bank No Phone Information

SEVEN-ROOMED modern bungalow, 7-ft. basement throughout, lot 50x135, fruit trees, garden and chicken run, situated on Skinner St., Victoria West. Price for cash, $3,600; terms, $3,850. Furniture for sale. Phone 2590.

SEE our list of houses before buying. It will pay you. W. S. Brown & Co., 620 Sayward Building.

THE one best buy in the city. All modern six rooms, close to school, car, etc.; a fine property with over quarter acre excellent soil; offered for quick sale at $3,300 on terms. The Gold Ring Investment Company, 3033 Cedar Hill Road.

WORK Street, just off King's Road, 7-room modern house, basement, close to two carlines; price $2,750; easy terms.

DOMINION Road—Two 4-room modern houses, standing in half acre ground, garden, fruit trees, chicken houses, etc. Price $6,250. Terms.

SIMS Avenue—Five-room modern house, situate on good lot; a bargain for only $1,100 cash.

BANK Street—7-room modern house, cement basement, furnace, garage, chicken houses, nice lot, 60 ft. by 120 ft. Price $3,750; easy terms.

CAVE & SAUNDERS
1003 Langley Street

WANTED—Farmers from the prairie and elsewhere to call at 106 Stobart Block, office, or 143 Superior Street, factory, and see the new building material for floors and walls. Something you will appreciate. United Financial Brokers Limited, 106 Stobart Block, Yates Street. Phone 5062.

WILL pay cash for late model motorcycle, must be in good condition. Apply Colonist Box 3562.

YOU have looked over the list of houses, now come and inspect ours. We have the house you want at the price you want to pay. Crown Realty, over Imperial Bank.

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SPECIAL OFFER, $16,000

SITUATE in one of Victoria's most select residential sections. A magnificent and imposing home of 9 rooms with large and beautifully laid-out grounds. Residence has very fine panelled entrance hall with inglenook and built-in seats to open fireplace. Large, bright reception room, panelled dining room with beams, built-in buffet, etc. Sliding doors constructed with specially blended leaded glass separate the three rooms. Chandeliers of exquisite design add to the perfect effect of the lower rooms. Hardwood floors throughout. Tiled kitchen and washrooms with stationary tubs. Beautifully panelled billiard room with open fireplace, 3 very large bedrooms with double closets and 2 sleeping porches. Tiled bathroom fitted with shower, all of best heavy porcelain, Mosaic floor. Two toilets, full size cement basement with Chinaman's room and toilet. Finished attic which could add two extra bedrooms if desired. Hot water heating system. This house was erected regardless of expense, the workmanship and material is of the very best, and built on the system of the prairie house to withstand the cold. Grounds comprise some lovely oaks, shrubbery, roses and artistic arbor, and assortment of large and small fruits, runs, etc., and garage. Owner is leaving the city and is placing this property on the market at $10,000 less than cost of construction. This place is considered by builders as being one of the best constructed houses in the city. Terms can be arranged.

SAANICH WATERFRONTAGE
15 Acres

LAND all under cultivation, about three acres in full bearing orchard, good barn, house and outbuildings, no rock, very large frontage on sea and road. Beautiful views. This property is considered the very best in Saanich. Owner forced to raise some money and offers this at less than half cost.

Price for Cash, $10,500

OAK BAY
Bungalow, $4,300

6 ROOMS on one of the most select streets in this district, all modern with three bedrooms, full basement with furnace, lot 50x133, with garage and chicken house. Terms arranged.

BRETT & KER LTD.
Pemberton Building
623 Fort Street Phone 132
Real Estate, Financial and Insurance Agents

HOUSES FOR SALE

FERNWOOD HILL—5 rooms, bath, pantry, cement basement, furnace, wash tubs; good lot in garden; only $2,900, terms.

HOLLYWOOD—Half-block from the sea, FULLY MODERN 7-room house, with built-in features; $3,800, terms.

GORGE DISTRICT—4-room MODERN BUNGALOW, on good lot, reduced to $2,000, on easy terms.

DUNFORD'S LIMITED
1234 Government Street

$2250—BUYS a 5-room house, nearly new, in good locality, handy to car, on terms, or would make good reduction for cash. Owner, 3111 Washington Ave. Phone 5694R.

E. E. HEATH
1212 Douglas Street

MARINE DRIVE, overlooking the sea, and an uninterrupted view of the mountains, this lovely bungalow with large living and dining rooms, open fireplace, built-in buffet, Dutch kitchen, three bedrooms, washroom with laundry trays, full basement with furnace, very good buying at $4,300, terms.

OAK BAY, close to school and car, this modern five-room bungalow on a large lot with nice oak trees, the house has open fireplace, also furnace, full cement basement; an exceptionally good buy at $3,150.

FAIRFIELD, this modern seven-room semi-bungalow, immediate possession, lovely open fireplace, built-in china cabinets, also built-in seats, full cement basement with furnace, situated close to school and walking distance to business. This can be had on terms and is a choice investment. Only $4,500.

FERNWOOD, six-room bungalow, large living room, dining room and kitchen, three bedrooms, full cement basement and furnace, laundry trays, open fireplace, garage; $3,800, easy terms.

E. E. HEATH
1212 Douglas Street

NEAR Haultain St. — Six-room modern house, large lot, reduced for quick sale, $2,500.

NEAR Oak Bay Ave.—Two 6-room bungalows, furnace and garage. Price reduced till March 15th. For quick sale. Take advantage of this reduction now.
Apply Owner:
511 UNION BANK BLDG.
Phone 4899, between 2 and 6. No Agents

PIANO ($500) included in this
FULLY
FURNISHED
5-ROOMED
BUNGALOW

with 2 open fireplaces full-sized basement with cement floor, full-sized lot with lawn, poultry houses, etc.
Only ¼ block from cars and facing an open space that will never be built up.
The owner is leaving the city and this beautiful little bungalow, completely furnished with excellent furniture including a $500 Gerhard-Heintzman piano; is to be sold for only $4,000.
The price has been greatly reduced to effect an immediate sale.

ROYAL FINANCIAL CORP. LTD.
B.C. Permanent Loan Bldg.

SEAFRONT property of eight bright spacious rooms, embracing all modern conveniences, basement, furnace and garage, lot fronts on paved road and runs back 150 feet to sea. This is a substantially built and good appearing property, commanding wonderful views of sea and mountains; absolute sacrifice, $4,750, terms.
H. AMPHLETT G. C. HOWELL
101 Union Bank Building
Phone 5900

SNAP, 2940 Grahame, 6-room fully modern, good as new, provision for two rooms upstairs, $4,000. Owner, Breese, 1521 Banks Street. 4166.

WANTED—Fully modern 5 or 6-roomed house within one mile of High School; state lowest price for cash. Colonist Box 4328.

$700 CASH, cosy, modern Fairfield bungalow. Phone 4959L.

$2500—7-roomed house and two full-sized lots, tennis court, fruit trees, etc. Must sell this week. Can be seen by appointment. 730 Sea Terrace, City Limits, Esquimalt Road.

4-ROOMED modern cottage, bath and basement, 1465 Bay Street, $2,300; $300 cash, balance easy. Owner P. O. Box 840.

$1500—ARTISTIC 3-room bungalow on splendid lot, beautified with choice rose bushes and climbers, very desirable locality; terms arranged.

$1600—GORGE district, 4-room house, splendidly finished, bath and toilet, large lot, fruit trees, clear title.

$2000—GORGE district, 4 rooms, pantry and bathroom, lot 50x133, fruit trees, clear title; easy terms.

$2100—GORGE district, beautiful 4-room bungalow, modern in every respect, choice buy, easy terms.

$2900—4-ROOM modern bungalow, built 1913, all built-in effects, furnace, etc.; $500 down, balance on easy payments.

COAST BUILDERS & BROKERS, LTD.
406 Union Bank Building

10-ROOM modern house, also fruit trees and ½ acre of land, with garage and chicken pens. Apply 2345 Bridge Street.

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P. R. BROWN
Real Estate, Insurance and Financial Agent
Phone 1076 1112 Broad Street

$3,200

OFF OAK BAY AVE.—Here is an attractive five-roomed modern Californian bungalow. Containing living room, built-in bookcase, open fireplace; archway leading to the dining room, which has burlapped walls and built-in features. Pass pantry and kitchen. Two good bright bedrooms with clothes closets. Bathroom finished in white enamel. Full size basement, half of which is cemented. Taxes only $27 per annum. Terms to suit.

$3,500

JUST OFF FORT STREET—Owner leaving town, must sell at sacrifice this charming five-roomed bungalow. Living room of good size, arches leading into dining room, open fireplace, burlapped walls. Pass pantry, kitchen, with usual built-in features. Two nice bedrooms with spacious clothes closets, good bathroom finished in white enamel. Basement cemented. Terms.

$2,500

3217 MILLGROVE AVE.—Four-roomed bungalow of attractive design, just off the car line. Containing living room, open fireplace, kitchen and pantry. Two bedrooms with clothes closets and linen closet. The whole house has been recently done over and is in A-1 condition. The basement is full size and partly cemented. Lot 50x190. Has fruit trees and other small fruits. Good chicken house. This is really a bargain, and will not be on the market long. Terms to suit. Taxes only $8 per annum.

$4,750

FAIRFIELD—Seven-roomed story and half bungalow containing reception hall, living room with sliding doors to the dining room. There is beamed ceiling, open fireplace and burlapped walls, and built-in buffet in the dining room. Pass pantry, built-in cupboards. Kitchen of moderate size. Den with burlapped walls and built-in bookcases. Three large bedrooms with clothes closets, bathroom and toilet separate. Garage and good garden. Terms on application.

FAIRFIELD, on high ground—Here is a real home, and one of the best in the Fairfield. Nine-roomed dwelling, containing reception hall, open fireplace, beamed ceiling, cloakroom, hardwood floors. French glass doors to the drawing room, also into the dining room, which has beamed ceiling, panelled walls and built-in buffet. Pass pantry, glass cupboards and drawers. Kitchen with all modern conveniences. Den, panelled walls, built-in bookcases and writing desk. Each room on the first floor has hardwood floors, and the woodwork is first-class. On the second floor are four large bedrooms with clothes closets in each. Two bathrooms all done in white enamel. Clothes chute to basement. The basement is full size and cemented, hot water heating in first-class order. Servants' room and toilet. The interior of this home is in the best of condition, and is one of the most attractive I am offering. Let us show you over. Price and terms on application.

Positively No Phone Information

McKENZIE STREET, FAIRFIELD
HOT WATER HEATED
EIGHT-ROOMED SEMI-BUNGALOW
$5,500, ON TERMS

HIGH full cement basement, with laundry and toilet, reception hall with hard wood floor and panelled, drawing room, hard wood floor, large brick fireplace, bookcases, folding doors to dining room which is beamed and panelled, hardwood floor, large attractive buffet, electric fixtures, swing door to the kitchen which has a lot of cupboards, cooler and bins. There is also a den with fireplace, a large bedroom and bathroom, on the ground floor. Upstairs there are two good bedrooms, sewing room, also a wash basin with hot and cold water and a toilet. The lot is 50x124 and faces south.

Exclusive Agents
A. S. BARTON WISE & CO.
111 Pemberton Block
Phone 2901

HOUSES FOR SALE

OLIVER STREET, OAK BAY—
5-roomed well built house with full basement, reception hall, fireplace, folding doors, good kitchen, two bedrooms and small room suitable for sewing room; two blocks from the car; lot is 50x120. Price $3,500; $500 cash, balance monthly.
A. S. BARTON WISE & CO.
111 Pemberton Block

ST. PATRICK STREET—
7-roomed semi-bungalow, with hot water heating, fine cement basement, wash tubs, living and dining room have arch between and beautiful hard wood floors, large open fireplace, den with fireplace, two bedrooms downstairs and bathroom, one bedroom upstairs. This bungalow is beautifully decorated, and you can move in without any further expense. Reduced price $5,300, on terms.
A. S. BARTON WISE & CO.
111 Pemberton Block

FOR Sale—Modern 7-roomed bungalow. Apply 2360 Graham St., after 6 p.m.

FOR SALE BY OWNER

6-ROOM house and 4 extra large lots with good fruit trees, etc. Catherine and Mary Streets, Victoria West. Lots average 60x165 feet each. Price $6,000.

HOUSE and 4 large lots with fruit trees, Langford and Skinner Streets, Victoria West. Lots 60x133 feet each. Price $5,600.

Apply to:
MARINE IRON WORKS
518 Pembroke Street

$175—Each for two fine lots on Lansdown Road, near the Normal School; these lots are level and in good locality. Do not miss a snap like this. No. 1056.

$1200 for a house, 5 rooms and basement, Inverness Road. You could not build the house for the money. No. 1016.

$2500—5 rooms and basement, large lot, 100 ft. x 120 ft., on King's Road. No. 1021.

$5500—8-room house, on Pandora Ave. Modern. No. 1061.

$16000—10-room house, Victoria Ave. No. 1033.

TOWNLEY & McKEACHIE
Real Estate, Insurance, Notaries Public
314-315 Sayward Building
Phone 1494

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WHY PAY RENT WHEN YOU CAN BUY GOOD HOMES AT GIFT PRICES?

$1300—4 ROOMS and pantry, city water, good garden, fruit trees and small fruits; garage and chicken house; 3 minutes from car; taxes $5.

$1750—4-ROOMED cottage with waterfront lot on Portage Inlet; charmingly located.

$2300—FURNISHED 5-roomed bungalow, newly decorated; near Fernwood Road; man leaving for Detroit and says sell. Discount for all cash.

$3500—CHARMING 5-roomed bungalow, No. 238 Beachwood Ave., close to car and beach and in a fine locality; newly painted and garden ready to plant. Better look this over at once.

$3700—SPRINGFIELD Ave., modern 8-roomed house, fine garage, entrance from two streets. The writer sold this property in 1912 for $8,000; to be sold for the mortgage; a splendid buy.

$4500—CLOSE to Quadra, fine view of city, 6-roomed brick house, large conservatory, almost ½-acre of land, all cultivated; large and small fruits galore; flowers and shrubbery in abundance; chicken house, garage, etc.; $6,500 cash was paid for this property.

$5500—OAK Bay special, very attractive 6-roomed modern bungalow, hot water heated, hard wood floors, beautiful lot 130 feet deep to a lane; fine garage. A select locality and convenient to car.

$9500—JAMES Bay special, one of the finest in district; cost $12,000 to build, exclusive of lot; modern in every appointment with hot water heating system, fireplaces, full size cement basement, tubs, etc.; two bathrooms and toilets, garage 20 by 30, cement floor, repairing well and pump; cement walks and driveway, abundance of flowers and shrubbery. This property is in perfect condition and is being sacrificed at little better than half value. Shown by appointment.

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5-ROOMED bungalow with beamed ceilings, built-in bookcases, fireplace, wash-tubs in cellar, close to car and overlooking the sea. Price $2,500, $500 cash will handle this. Balance can be spread over 5 years.

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7 ROOMS
$2800—EASY terms of $500 cash, balance monthly can be arranged on this property. The house has fine rooms with large windows, unobstructed light, and good plumbing fixtures. The basement has full size cement floor. The lot is 60x100, all light black soil and with young bearing fruit trees. This price is for quick sale.

5 ROOMS
$2500—THIS one also can be handled with $500 cash, balance monthly. This bungalow has reception hall, living room with fireplace, dining room with built-in buffet, kitchen, two bedrooms and bathroom; full size basement; lot 30x150; good soil.

6 ROOMS
$3500—JAMES Bay. This is a well built home with three rooms, hall and pantry downstairs, three rooms and bathroom upstairs, heavy concrete foundation and full basement under whole house with cement floor and furnace. This is close to the car, in a good locality and can be bought on terms.

5 ROOMS
$3675—FAIRFIELD. A pretty bungalow on a well kept lot, all fenced, and in garden. The house is nicely arranged, with open fireplace, pass pantry and good plumbing and electric fixtures; $500 cash and balance easy monthly payments.

6 ROOMS
$4750—SITUATED on Fernwood Hill in one of the healthiest locations in Victoria, high and dry, on a good lot, surrounded with oak trees and convenient to the car. The floor space of this home is much larger than the average, making large attractive rooms. The finish is first class, with flat varnished and heavy enamel woodwork, good plumbing and electric fixtures and first class workmanship throughout; terms arranged.

7 ROOMS
$5500—OAK Bay, in an attractive location, unobstructed view and convenient to car and beach. The house has reception hall, beautiful living room and dining room, den, kitchen, three fine bedrooms and bathroom. The panelled walls, beam ceiling and built-in fixtures are of the best. The basement has full size cement floor, furnace and tubs, and the lot is all fenced and has lawn, garden and garage; terms arranged.

7 ROOMS
$5000—FAIRFIELD. This home has hard wood floors, panelled walls with fir veins, heavy beam ceilings, built-in buffet, fireplace in living room and den, heavy electric fixtures, full cement basement with furnace and a lot 140 feet deep. Terms can be arranged.

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$4250—Oak Bay, 5-roomed modern bungalow. This is one of the very best we have seen, perfect condition, built-in buffet, bookcases and labor-saving devices, cabinet kitchen, pantry, open fireplaces, stationary tubs, full cement basement, spacious grounds, choice locality.

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$2950—6-ROOMED bungalow containing dining room, parlor, kitchen and 3 bedrooms, open fireplace in parlor, hot and cold water, bath and toilet, large lot with fruit trees and good garage; on terms. This is a specially good buy.

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Phone 6303

$4200—TERMS. Oak Bay, Oliver St., select location, close to sea and carline, well-built 6-room house, modern in every respect, hardwood floors, built-in features, two toilets, furnace, cement basement, stationary wash tubs, etc.

$2750—WORK STREET, just off King's Road, 7-room modern house, basement, close to two carlines; easy terms.

$1100 CASH—Sims Avenue, five-room modern house, situate on good lot; a bargain.

$3750—EASY TERMS. Bank Street, 7-room modern house, cement basement, furnace, garage, chicken houses, nice lot, 60 ft. by 120 ft.

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8-ROOMED house on Seaview Avenue with unobstructed view. Full size basement (no furnace). Sleeping porch. This is close to Beach Drive. Lot 54x120. Price only $3,500. Very easy terms, say, $500 cash and balance to suit.

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OAK BAY SPECIAL

$4250—Extra well built bungalow of 5 rooms, finished in perfect taste. Living and dining rooms with open fireplaces and built-in features. Cement basement with furnace and laundry tubs. Double lot, nicely laid out in lawn and garden and some nice shade trees. Low taxes.
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$3150—Hillside, one block from car. Bungalow of 5 good rooms in first-class condition. Fireplace and handsome overmantel in living room. Bathroom and separate toilet. Fine basement with wood-lift. Lot 57x133.

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$3675—Fairfield Estate, close to Park and car, seven-roomed modern house, 3 bedrooms, small den, etc., built-in features, full cement basement, furnace.

$3600—Foul Bay, close to sea, attractive, well-kept 6-roomed bungalow, back and front halls, living room, opening into dining room with fireplace and oak mantel, cement basement, storeroom, piped for furnace, electric fixtures included, large lot in garden. Cash $1,000. Exclusive listing.

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$2500—Haultain, 5-roomed modern bungalow, built-in buffet, bookcases, etc. Full basement; $500 cash, balance easy.

$1350—Regina Ave., 5-roomed bungalow, $250 cash, balance arrange.

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ACREAGE FOR SALE 42

GORDON HEAD

ABOUT 6 acres with 5-roomed modern bungalow, garage, 2 barns, 2 wells, 400 apple, cherry, pear and peach trees, 50 Italian plums, 10 egg plum trees, ½ acre strawberries, ½ acre rhubarb, ¼ acre asparagus, big garden, 500 black currants, 500 gooseberries, logan and raspberries. This is a real fine home and will produce big returns on the investment, $8,000. R. B. Punnett, 608 Pemberton Block. Phone 1206.

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ACREAGE

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10 ACRES—Elk Lake, on East Saanich Road, old house, 4 acres cultivated, balance light brush, splendid strawberry land; snap price $4,000.

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ACREAGE FOR SALE 42 (Continued)

SOOKE Waterfront acreage—177 acres, of which 20 acres are under cultivation, a total of 90 acres of good land, balance in rough pasture and timber, a well assorted orchard, small fruits, house of 6 rooms with water laid on, barn, poultry houses, also boathouse, good anchorage. This property has three-quarters of a mile of waterfront. Price $10,500.

20 ACRES, all first-class soil, 10 acres in pasture, 10 acres under cultivation, a very comfortable house of 6 rooms, and all the necessary outbuildings. Price $6,250.

12 ACRES, of which there are 3 under cultivation, 2 acres in first-class bottom land, 6 acres of excellent fruit land, about 25 assorted fruit trees, balance in pasture. A modern house of six rooms with water laid on, a good barn, garage, modern poultry houses for 500 birds, brooder house, etc. Half a mile from railway station, school and post office. Price $4,500.

45 ACRES, about 15 acres under cultivation, 30 acres slashed, burned and seeded, balance in light standing timber. A good assortment of trees and small fruits, the soil is first-class. A modern house of eight room, a good barn, poultry houses, also a house for help. This is one of the most complete places on the Island; situation is excellent; close to railway station and post office. Price $12,000.

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9 ACRES—5-roomed house, hot and cold water, bath, concrete basement, six acres cleared, Cobble Hill. Price $6,500 cash.

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$1200—Here is one worth looking at—4-room bungalow, 2 blocks from Burnside car, very compact and nicely painted, also garage, chicken houses, etc. Splendid garden, small fruits. This will not last long at the price.

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ACREAGE—FOR SALE 42 (Continued)

ACREAGE

245 ACRES on Denman Island. Few acres have been cleared, about 12 acres partly cleared and seeded down, 1¾ mile of waterfrontage. Good, safe anchorage. Large amount of alder bottom (easily cleared). Land is nearly all good. Live stream, old barn, orchard and well. Would make a splendid sheep ranch. Price for the whole property, only $10,000.

10 ACRES, on Sooke Road, opposite Hatley Park, about 7 miles from Victoria. Water laid on and some small buildings. Price, on terms, $3,000.

160 ACRES, Rupert District, 80 acres of which is natural meadow land. Balance of property has some good timber on it, also creek running through. Price for whole, on terms, $1,400.

119 ACRES in the Newcastle District, on Fanny Bay, 7 miles from Union Bay and close to Island Highway. Large water frontage; about 12 acres have been cleared. All good arable land, also an orchard. Price, on very good terms, $6,000.

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SAYWARD AVE., 7-room modern house and lot 45x100. Close to carline. Price only $1,600. Cash payment $500.

FAIRFIELD ESTATE, 4-room cottage, close to corner of Fairfield Road and Cook, lot 49x136. Price, on easy terms, $2,500.

GOVERNMENT STREET SOUTH, close to Parliament Buildings—A 7-roomed house and lot 75 x 120 (about). Price, on terms to suit, only $3,000.

BURNSIDE ROAD — 6-roomed dwelling and lot 47 x 231. House is modern, with another small house at the rear. Price for the whole property, on terms, $3,150.

OAK BAY—6-roomed dwelling and lot 60 x 125 on St. Ann's Street. House is modern in every respect; furnace in basement. Price, on good terms, $6,500.

LONG BRANCH AVENUE — 8-roomed modern dwelling on an 85-foot lot. Good basement, cement floor, etc. Price, on easy terms, $6,500.

DOUGLAS STREET SOUTH—Good 8-roomed modern bungalow and two large lots between Beacon Hill Park and Empress Hotel. This property must be sold quickly and is offered at a bargain, on terms, of only $6,500.

B.C. LAND & INVESTMENT AGENCY, LIMITED
Established 1862
922 Government Street Phone 125

DAIRY FARM

200 ACRES—About 65 under cultivation, 40 cleared and seeded, 30 acres of second growth, 40 acres standing timber, all fenced and cross-fenced; a total of 150 acres of good land. The soil is black and red loam; a never-failing stream; an assortment of tree and small fruits; good house of 6 rooms, with water laid on; a large new modern barn to accommodate 40 head of stock; quarter of mile to railway station, post office and school.

This is an exceptionally good buy.

PRICE $31,000

11¼ ACRES, all under cultivation, about 250 assorted fruit trees in full bearing, apples, plums, pears, cherries, peaches. A quantity of small fruits, logan and blackberries, gooseberries, currants, etc. A good house of 8 rooms, city water laid on, bath, etc. Large barn and stable; 4 poultry houses and other outbuildings.

PRICE $9,000

SOUTH SAANICH—10 acres, about 1 acre under cultivation; a small house of 4 rooms; excellent location.

PRICE $2,000

PEMBERTON & SON
Pemberton Building 625 Fort Street

300 ACRES, 16 acres cleared and cultivated, 40 acres burned over and partly seeded down, 30 acres bottom land, 214 acres in standing timber, 2 large creeks running the year round. This property would make a splendid stock ranch, situated five miles from a good town and 1 mile from railway station. To close an estate we have been instructed to sell at $8,000.

200 ACRES, 65 acres cleared and cultivated, 35 acres rough cleared, almost ready for plough, cleared land nearly all black loam, and is all well drained and fenced, good creek running water the year round; 7-room house in good repair, large modern barn almost new, splendid accommodation for stock. This is the best farm for the money on Vancouver Island, situated in one of the oldest and best farming districts, ½ mile from railway station. Price $22,000.

A. T. ABBEY CITY BROKERAGE
506 Union Bank Building Phone 818

METCHOSIN

6 ACRES, all cleared, adjoining post office and store. Only $1,500.

H. H. JONES & SON
Phone 1521 1006 Government St.

QUARTER-ACRE Lots, good soil, ready to plant; city water; 3-mile circle; close to paved road and B.C. Electric; $175; terms. Small Store, plate glass front and 2 living rooms, bath and toilet, close in; $2,500, or will lease; 3-acre farms at Sooke River, partly cleared, access to river; close to C.N.R. station, school, hotel and P.O.; good soil; city water; $160 per acre; terms. Well-situated garden lots with fruit trees; good soil, ready to plant; city water; 3-mile circle, just off Quadra; $250; terms. W. T. Williams, care "Hag" Press Co., 1202 Wharf Street. Phone 237.

OAK Bay—Near sea, car and golf links, fine well-built bungalow, 5 rooms, bath, pantry, etc., built-in buffet, bookcases, beamed ceilings, panelled dining room, living room and hall, cement basement, garage, $4,500. This is worth looking at. W. S. Brown, 620 Sayward Building.

ACREAGE FOR SALE 42 (Continued)

SAANICH ACREAGE

CORDOVA BAY—17 acres of good land, close to bathing beach, about 6 acres cultivated and planted, large number of small fruits, running water, 5-roomed house, barns and chicken houses. A most valuable property, $8,500.

METCHOSIN—14 miles from city, 11½ acres all in high state of cultivation, orchard, small fruits, good seven-roomed house, bathroom, city water laid in, fine view of sea and mountains, good stable, chicken houses etc. Bargain at $8,000.

85 ACRES within 6 miles of centre of city, nearly all good land; about 45 acres under cultivation; fifteen slashed, in good state of cultivation; excellent strawberry and loganberry soil; 6-roomed house, large barn and outbuildings, plenty of water; price for whole $300 per acre, or would sell a portion; exclusively.

GORDON HEAD—6 acres fine strawberry land, easily cleared; $525 per acre; exclusively.

BAGSHAWE & CO.
324-325 Sayward Bldg.

ON VANCOUVER ISLAND HIGHWAY

70-ACRE farm as a going concern, 40 acres cultivated, all fenced, large bearing orchard, stock, furniture, implements, tools, etc.; a sound investment. Colonist Box 4291.

ACREAGE—WANTED 43

WANTED—To rent, responsible party, small farm, small house, good land, inside 10 miles, with or without option to buy. 1640 Ross St. Phone 5560R.

WANTED—Up to 15 or 20 acres, partly improved, small house; practically all cash. Andrews Realty, B.C. Loan Bldg.

WANTED—For client, a large dairy and mixed farming proposition on Vancouver Island. Will pay up to $40,000 with a cash payment between $15,000 to $20,000. VALUE MUST BE THERE. Give full detailed information to ANDREWS REALTY, 7th floor, B.C. Permanent Bldg., Victoria, B.C.

WANTED—5 to 10 acres, suitable for small fruit, good soil, light clearing, inside 10 miles, Saanich. Box 4752, Colonist.

WANTED—About 10 acres, suitable for chickens and small fruits, with buildings and good water supply. Apply Box 4316, Colonist.

PROPERTY FOR SALE 44

FOUL BAY LOT—All level and good soil, $225. This is one-tenth of pre-war price. Clear title.

H. AMPHLETT G. C. HOWELL
101 Union Bank Building

FOR Sale—Lot, cleared, good land, near Beach Drive, Shoal Bay; $825. Apply owner, Box 4617, Colonist.

FOR Sale—2 fine lots in Craigdarroch subdivision. Apply to D. Fraser, Colonist Office. Phone 11.

FOR Sale—Lot on Ryan St., only $175, clear title; taxes paid to date. Phone owner 6321L.

SHAWNIGAN LAKE—A subdivision of 66 lots on the lake, or could revert to acreage, about 11 acres of good land, close to C. N. R., $4,000. E. Dickinson, 405 Hillside Ave.

OAK BAY, Saratoga, $550 cash (immediate sale), 44x140 to a lane. Paid $1,575 in 1912. Phone 3972.

ONE and two-fifths acre at $1,000 per acre, one block from carline, just over one and one-half mile circle. Good land and the cheapest we know of. Anyone wanting a poultry or garden site should see this.

WENDELL B. SHAW & CO.
Phone 3972 Central Bldg.

PROPERTY WANTED 45

HOMESEEKERS, Notice!—Will build a house to suit you and arrange easy payments. Have lots in Hillside and Gorge districts, also near Jubilee Hospital, or would build on your own lot. Green Lumber Co., Topaz Ave.

HOMESEEKERS notice. Have some choice lots in various parts of the city. Will build house to your liking on easy terms. Your own lot will do. Green Lumber Co.

WANTED—To hear from actual owners of from three to six farms in the Somenos and Duncan and adjoining districts. Full particulars must be addressed to Hubert Hawley, care The People's Furnishing Co., 1403 Broad Street, Victoria, B.C.

WANTED to hear from owners of good farm for sale, with or without stock and implements, in the vicinity of Ladner or Victoria, B.C. Address, 10532 98th Street, Edmonton, Alberta.

FARMS WANTED 46

CHICKEN ranch wanted or place suitable for same to rent or purchase about 5 acres and house. Good locality. Write Colonist Box 4670.

ACREAGE TO RENT 50

FOR Rent—4 acres cultivated land, close city, small house. Bright & Jones, 1306 Broad Street.

WANTED TO BORROW 56

WANTED—One thousand dollars at eight per cent. Repayable monthly or quarterly with interest; first-class security. Box 4711, Colonist.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

SEALED TENDERS marked "Tender for Road Machinery and Plant," will be received by the undersigned up until noon on Thursday, March 18, 1920, for the undermentioned road machinery and plant.

Tenderers must submit catalogue in duplicate covering machinery tendered for, and quote an f.o.b. price at points of delivery.

Where possible, machinery of Canadian manufacture should be quoted.

Motor trucks, Wagons, Tractors, Drags, Graders (heavy and light), Mechanical Loaders, Scarifiers, Oiling Equipment, Ploughs, Road Ditchers, Scrapers (wheel and drag), Steam Shovel (light).

Detailed lists with full particulars may be obtained at the office of the Public Works Engineer, Court House, Vancouver, the Department of Public Works, Victoria, and from the undersigned.

JAMES PATERSON, Purchasing Agent.
Victoria, B.C., February 26, 1920.

Department of the Naval Service

ROYAL NAVAL COLLEGE OF CANADA

THE Royal Naval College is established for the purpose of imparting a complete education in Naval Science.

Graduates are qualified to enter the Imperial or Canadian Services as midshipmen.

A Naval career is not compulsory, however. For those who do not wish to enter the Navy the course provides a thorough grounding in Applied Science and is accepted as qualifying for entry as second year students in Canadian Universities.

The scheme of education aims at developing discipline with ability to obey and take charge, a high sense of honor, both physical and mental, a good grounding in Science, Engineering, Mathematics, Navigation, History and Modern Languages, as a basis for general development or further specialization.

Candidates must be between their fourteenth and sixteenth birthdays on September 1st following the examination.

Particulars of entry may be obtained on application to the Department of the Naval Service, Ottawa.

The examinations for entry to the College will be held by the Civil Service Commission, for the present year, early in June, and applications for entry must be filed with the Commission prior to the 24th May, 1920.

G. J. DESBARATS,
Deputy Minister of the Naval Service.
Ottawa, February 7, 1920.

Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ESQUIMALT

NOTICE is hereby given that the Sewer Assessment Roll for the year 1920 has been filed in the Treasurer's Office, Municipal Hall, Esquimalt, and may there be inspected. Any person dissatisfied with this assessment as shown on the Roll may file a petition against such assessment not later than April 1, 1920.

G. H. PULLEN, C.M.C.
Esquimalt, B.C., March 1, 1920.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PRIVATE BILL

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next Session by the Corporation of the District of Saanich for an Act (to be known as the Saanich Municipality Act, 1920), providing for the following matters, and giving to the said Corporation and the Municipal Council thereof the following powers, viz:

1. Constructing, acquiring, operating and maintaining the water works [illegible] system of the Municipality [illegible] water [illegible] inhabitants of the Municipality and [illegible] adjacent thereto as may be deemed expedient by the Council from time to time.

2. Constituting and varying from time to time any part or parts of the Municipality as sewer or drainage districts, and in relation thereto:

(a) To provide that the entire cost of carrying out a sewerage or drainage scheme within such defined area shall be borne by the lands within such sewer or drainage area.

(b) To provide for charging owners or occupiers of lands, vacant or otherwise, or the lands themselves, capable of being drained in a sewer or drain with a rental for the use or the opportunity of user of the same on per foot frontage or other basis whatsoever, and for regulating, levying and recovering such rental.

(c) For charging (with like remedies for collection) all persons owning property drained into a sewer or drain with a rent for use of connecting pipes or drains and for regulating the time and manner for payment of charges.

(d) For levying annually a rate upon the assessable lands within the defined districts, sufficient to meet the estimated deficiency between the total annual cost which is comprised of (i) the annual interest on money borrowed to defray the cost of construction of the said sewers or drains, (ii) the sinking fund for the payment of such borrowed moneys, (iii) the cost of maintenance and repairs of said sewers or drains, and the estimated revenue from sewer frontage rates and sewer connection rentals as defined in sub-section (b) and (c).

(e) Authorising the Council by by-law, which will receive the assent of the ratepayers, to construct and borrow sufficient money from time to time to complete the entire sewerage or drainage of a defined district in accordance with the plans and estimates as then prepared, such by-law to set out or refer to plans showing the extent of the work intended to be proceeded with immediately and the estimated cost of same, the borrowing of which amount shall be thereby authorized, and the said by-law shall authorize the Council by further by-laws, without the further assent of the ratepayers, to borrow any further sum or sums from time to time to allow further extensions of the sewerage or drainage system within any so defined areas. Provided, however, that no extension shall be made unless (i) the Provincial Board of Health or the Local Board of Health shall declare that such extension is desirable in the interest of the health of the municipality, or (ii) a Petition for such extension shall have been received by the Municipal Council signed by the owners of at least half of the value of the lands liable to be charged a rental for the use or opportunity of user of the sewer or drain to be so extended.

3. Of purchasing, constructing, operating and maintaining motor buses within the Municipality and localities adjacent thereto, and for regulating the conditions and terms under which the same may be used or operated.

Dated at Victoria, B. C. this 17th day of December, 1919.

BARNARD, ROBERTSON, HEISTERMAN AND TAIT,
Solicitors for the Applicants.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Victoria, June 13, 1919, Registry.
R. No. 327; 1919.

Between:

HELEN RUSSELL, Plaintiff,

and

JOHN HAYES McCULLOCH, and CECIL BERKLEY MILES, and FRANK SMEDLEY, Defendants

George The Fifth, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions Beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

To:
JOHN HAYES McCULLOCH, of Victoria, British Columbia, and CECIL BERKLEY MILES, and FRANK SMEDLEY, both of Saanich Municipality, British Columbia.

We command you that within eight days after the service of this writ on you, inclusive of the day of such service, you do cause an appearance to be entered for you in an action at the suit of

HELEN RUSSELL, of No. 158 Robertson Street, Victoria, British Columbia.

And take notice, that in default of your so doing, the Plaintiff may proceed therein, and judgment may be given in your absence.

Witness, The Honorable Gordon Hunter, Chief Justice, the 13th day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

N.B.—This Writ is to be served within twelve calendar months from the date thereof, or, if renewed, within twelve calendar months from the date of the last renewal, including the day of such date, and not afterwards.

The Defendant may appear hereto by entering an appearance either personally or by solicitor at the office of the District Registrar of this Court at the Court House, Victoria, B.C.

C. L. HARRISON,
Plaintiff's Solicitor.

The Plaintiff claims specific performance of an agreement in writing dated the 2nd day of October, 1912, and made between the plaintiff as vendor and the defendant John Hayes McCulloch as purchaser, and as against the defendants, Cecil Berkley Miles and Frank Smedley as holders of a registered sub-agreement to purchase part of the lands mentioned in the said agreement. For an account of the sums due the plaintiff and a declaration of a lien in respect thereof as to the lands comprised in the said agreement that is to say: Lots 48 and 49 part of Sections 55 and 58, Cedar Vale, Victoria District, Map 294 (now known and described as Lots 1 to 10 inclusive, Block 1; Lots 1 to 27 inclusive, Block 2; Lots 1 to 22 inclusive, of Block 3, and Lots 20, 21, 22, of Block 4, of a subdivision of Lots 48 and 49, Victoria District, Map 1648), except that part thereof granted for a right of way (Shelbourne Street), being part of Lots 20, 21, 22, aforesaid, and colored pink on right of way map 18, and registered as No. 286191; and for payment of the sums found due and in default of such payment the said plaintiff claims:

1. That the said lien be enforced by sale.
2. A Receiver.
3. Possession.

And in the alternative.

1. A Declaration in default of payment and performance within a time to be limited by the Court that the defendants and each of them have abandoned the said agreement and all rights thereunder and that the said agreement is abandoned and determined and thenceforth of none effect and that all monies paid thereunder are abandoned and forfeited to the plaintiff.
2. Or Determination or recision of the said agreement.
3. Possession of the said lands comprised in the said agreement to the plaintiff and a declaration of her title free from all claim of the defendant and each of them.
4. Cancellation of all registrations of the said agreement under the Land Registry Act.

NOTICE

People of Victoria! Cut Down the High Cost of Living

The Increased Production Committee will help you to secure vacant lots, and will plow, disc and harrow them at the following rates: Plowing one lot, $2.25; discing, $1.00; harrowing, 75 cents. Get your orders in early with the undersigned.

A. GOUGH, Manager,
Increased Production, City Hall.

PRINCE RUPERT BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed tenders, addressed to the Secretary of the Prince Rupert Board of School Trustees, Prince Rupert, B.C., and marked on the envelope "Tender for School Building," will be received up to and including April 14th, 1920, for the erection of a twelve-room public school in the city of Prince Rupert, B.C. Tenders may be bulk or separate for the following trades: Masonry, hollow tile and brick; concrete, plain and reinforced; plastering, art stone work, carpentry and joinery, roofing and galvanized ironwork, steel sash, fire escapes and steel work, painting and glazing, terrazzo floors, electric wiring, plumbing, heating and ventilation.

Each tender shall be accompanied by a certified cheque on a chartered Bank of Canada, for five per cent. (5%) of the amount of the tender. Cheques of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned immediately the tenders are opened. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Plans and specifications and all information may be obtained from the office of the Architect.

J. W. POTTER, Architect, Prince Rupert, B.C.
W. D. VANCE, Secretary, Prince Rupert, B.C.

SPECIAL RATES FOR LUMBER HAVE LAPSED

But Preferential List for Local Users Will Be Maintained, City Council Told—Soldiers' Preference Expires

The arrangement entered into by the lumber manufacturers of Victoria with the city for the supply of lumber for houses built under the Federal Better Housing Act has expired. The time limit set was fourteen days for shingle orders and twenty-one days for lumber orders, as from February 11.

"It is regretted," wrote Secretary Elworthy, "to give what possibly may be construed into an appearance of being exacting, but it was pointed out at the time the arrangement was made that irrespective of the concession offered, lumber was being sold in this city at a considerably lower price than it could be purchased on the mainland of British Columbia, or in the adjoining state of Washington. Since that time the price of logs has advanced $3 to $5 per thousand, and the cost of operating the mills also has increased. Therefore, this action is imperative in protecting the Victoria lumber manufacturers against serious loss. I am to add, however, that until further notice they will maintain a preferential list for local users of lumber.

CANCELLED BUSINESS

Hon. John Hart Wanted His Firm to Accept No Government Insurance Except on Certain Terms

Insurance written by the firm of Gillespie, Hart & Todd, of Victoria, prior to November, 1918, for some departments of the Government was cancelled at his request, was information which Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, set forth in answers to questions asked by Dr. Sutherland, Liberal member for Revelstoke, who also asked the reasons for such cancellation.

The Minister quoted correspondence which had passed between himself, as Minister of Finance, and the company. He had written the firm pointing out he understood a couple of risks of insurance had been placed with Gillespie, Hart & Todd by some of the departments since he accepted the office of Minister of Finance. He asked immediate cancellation thereof and all other risks written subsequent to June 11, 1917, the date on which he was named Minister, and suggested that in future the firm should refuse to accept any business from the Provincial Government unless it was placed after tenders had been considered, or where there was a pro rata allotment to the different companies. He concluded: "I realize that this is an injustice both to the firm and the companies it represents, but in the long run, I think, it will prove to be in the interests of all concerned."

The response of the firm was to the effect that in future "on account of your being connected with our firm" it would refuse to accept any business except upon the terms suggested by Hon. Mr. Hart.

In answer to questions asked by Mr. A. M. Manson relative to what, if any, tuition fees are charged by the University of B. C., the number of students in attendance, and what fees, if any, are charged by other universities, Hon. Dr. MacLean had replied that no tuition fees are charged by the University of B. C., but all students must pay a registration fee of $10 annually; that there are 890 students attending the session of 1919-20 and, in addition, 640 enrolled for short courses. On the point of fees charged by other universities the following facts are given: University of Alberta, tuition fees $40 approximately; University of Saskatchewan, tuition fee of $6 per subject, about $30 per year; University of Manitoba, tuition fee of $36 for Arts, and $55 for science; Queen's University, registration fee of $14, class fee $25, and various other fees; McGill University, tuition fees for Arts $58, applied science $197, and medicine, $167. He adds that the policy of charging no fees was adopted when the University of British Columbia was established and has not been altered.

HEAR OF SECRET PLAN TO GET RID OF CROWS

Alderman Edwyn B. Andros, chairman of the Parks Committee, will shortly communicate with Mr. M. Swaim, 117 St. Andrew's Street, with a view to obtaining from him information about a secret process, said to be remarkably effective, of ridding a community of crows.

Mr. Swaim wrote to the City Council last night, complaining of the crow nuisance, and announcing that, if the Council showed interest, he would divulge his plan.

"I will give you a plan to get rid of all the crows in Beacon Hill Park at a very little expense to the city, as I have been studying the bird life of Canada and my plan has destroyed more black crows than any other of which I know," wrote Mr. Swaim. "I got after the crows at my home in Silton, Sask., and they were there in thousands, roosting on my place every night near Long Lake. They soon disappeared and never returned since."

Windsor Man Murdered

WINDSOR, Ont., March 8.—Maurice Rappaport, 51 years old, proprietor of a butcher shop and grocery store, was shot to death by an unknown man last night, the murderer escaping immediately afterward.

LAND REGISTRY ACT
Section 23

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FRANK STACPOOLE,
Registrar-General of Titles.

DAVID SPENCER, LTD.
Store Hours—9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Wednesday 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

First Showing of New Modes in Spring Millinery Awaits Your Inspection Today

Gloves in Silk and Chamoisette for Women and Children

Women's Chamoisette Gloves, in beaver, buck, grey, natural, pearl, black and white, with self colored and black points. A splendid value at, a pair, $1.25.

Women's Silk Gloves, in all the best makes, such as Niagara, Kayser and Queen Quality, in navy, pongee, champagne, beaver, grey, brown, black and white, at, a pair, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2.00 and $2.25.

Women's Real Chamois Gloves, natural only, mousquetaire wrist, at, a pair, $3.00.

Women's Real Chamois Gloves, white only, with strap wrist, at, a pair, $3.50.

Children's Chamoisette Gloves, in brown, mastic, grey and white. All sizes, at, a pair, $1.00. —Gloves, Main Floor

Infants' Short Dresses Neatly Made and Priced Moderately

Dresses made from fine white pique, sleeves, neck and skirt hand-embroidered in shell pink. Dresses that are splendid value at, each, $3.50.

Dresses made from fine lawn; hand-embroidered and trimmed with satin ribbon rosettes at, each, $3.50.

Dresses of fine lawn, hand-embroidered and trimmed with insertion and ribbon rosettes at, each, $3.50.

Dresses of fine pique, hand-embroidered and trimmed with ribbon. Well made Dresses at, each, $3.50. —Infants' Section, 1st Floor

Children's Colored Woolen Caps at, Each, 75c

Caps made in combination colors and finished with pompon at top. The shades are white and pale blue, white and pink, rose and white, and saxe, rose and grey. A neat cap. At, each, 75c. —Children's, 1st Floor



ESTABLISHED in its new and airy quarters on the first floor, and with a display of hats representing the newest styles that fashion has approved of, the Millinery Department today will welcome the women of Victoria to a first view of the correct styles for

Spring 1920

A DESCRIPTION here of the many individual styles represented in the display is altogether out of the question, enough to say the styles are many and the trimmings unusually varied, feathers and flowers taking a prominent place among them.

HERE every woman will find the styles that will be most becoming to her type—Wide-brimmed sports hats, small turbans mingling with styles designed for dressy wear, some luxuriously trimmed, others modestly finished, but all possessing those features recognized as the popular fashions of the season.

—Visit our Millinery Department today and enjoy an hour amid this assembly of Spring Millinery. —Millinery, 1st Floor

Women's Hose—Superb Values—Well Assorted Colors

Silk Hose at $2.25 and $2.50 Pair
—In shades of black, white, nigger brown, French blue, sky, pink, navy, purple, buff, sand, pearl grey, taupe, Palm Beach, Russian calf, bronze and emerald. A fine assortment and excellent values.

Silk Hose at $3.00 a Pair
—in black, white, peacock blue, Copenhagen, sapphire blue, navy, purple, sky, gold, silver, nigger brown, bottle green, taupe, beaver and grey.
—See these excellent qualities — All superior values. —Hosiery Section, Main Floor

Women's Vests and Drawers High-Grade Goods

Women's Vests, made with low neck and short or no sleeves and fancy lace yokes, lace trimmings, plain or beaded tops. Also the well-known "Cumfy Cut." All sizes, in white and pink, and an exceptional value at, each, 50c.

Women's Drawers, made of good quality fine-knit cotton, with loose or tight knee, and trimmed with lace. Sizes 36 to 44, at, each, 75c and 90c. —Whitewear, First Floor

Women's Cotton Nightgowns

Women's Nightgowns, of good quality cotton, made in slip-over style and trimmed with embroidery and lace. A splendid value at, each, $2.00.

Women's Nightgowns, made of strong white cotton, in Empire style, and trimmed with lace, at, each, $2.25. —Whitewear, First Floor



We Are Showing the Newest Modes in Georgette and Crepe de Chine Waists

—How handsome they are, these Spring-time models in Georgettes and crepe de Chines you will find displayed in our Waist Department! Every desirable mode is shown, finished and trimmed in a most ideal manner. Then you will find any popular shade that may please your fancy—delicate tones that are favorites wherever shown. But, better than all, our prices are moderate. Pay a visit to our Waist Department, inspect the well-selected assembly. You will then be persuaded that here is an assortment of quality, at prices that permit all to choose according to their desires. —Waists, 1st Floor

New Spring Silks—Superior Qualities Modest Prices

Heavy Duchess Satin

36 inches wide; an extra weight, strong satin that will give the best service for separate skirts, etc. An ideal lining for coats. Colors sand, old gold, rose, biscuit, medium brown, purple, nigger dark and light grey at, a yard, $3.95.

Barnet Satin

39 inches wide. A satin that always gives satisfaction both in appearance and wearing quality. In shades of grey, white, rose, sand and Copenhagen. At, a yard, $8.75.

Brocaded Duchesse

36 inches wide. A very handsome silk, in a rich sheen, and designed in two tone effects. Superior value at, a yard, $7.50.

Silk Tricotine

A much wanted fabric this season. A smart, lustrous silk for dresses, etc. Shown in colors of grey, brick red, turquoise, old rose, paddy, flame, white and henna. At, a yard, $7.50.

Chiffon Taffeta

36 inches wide. A very fashionable silk, made in nice soft finish; in shades of dark navy, dark and light grey, reseda, brown, taupe, purple and black. At, a yard, $2.75.

Floral Georgette

40 inches wide. A prettily designed Georgette, in a good, even texture. Ideal for waists, over-draperies, etc., in a wide range of colors. At, a yard, $5.95.

Silk Jersette

36 inches wide. A smart looking silk jersey cloth at a very moderate price. A clean, even weave; in shades of jade, gold, canary, rose, white, blue, nigger, sand, plum, black and flesh. Splendid value at, a yard, $4.50.

Hairline Messaline

36 inches wide, presented in shades of black and white and navy and white only, will be found very practical and inexpensive for dresses, skirts, etc., at, a yard, $3.75.

Natural Pongee

We are showing a complete stock of pongees, all marked at close prices; 36 inches wide, at, a yard, 59c, 65c, 85c, $1.00, $1.15, $1.25, $1.50, $1.65, $1.75 and $2.00.

Pongee Suitings

Of heavy make and strong quality, suitable for suits, coats, etc.; in natural shades only at, a yard, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00 and $3.50.
—Silks, Main Floor



House Dresses, Aprons and Dust Caps—Moderately Priced

House Dresses, made from best quality chambray, in plain shades of blue, grey and pink—dresses neatly finished with white collars and pearl buttons. Very specially priced, at, each, $2.75.

Kitchen Aprons, made from good quality prints and ginghams. Made in several styles, neat and well finished. Special at, each, 50c.

Aprons of best grade prints, made close-fitting, with large bib—a very neat style, and special value at, each, 85c.

Dust Caps, made from prints and muslins, in plain and fancy colors. A snap at, each, 25c.

Women's Summer Weight Vests and Combinations

An extra good line of Women's Summer Weight Vests, made with low neck and no sleeves; fancy lace yokes. Also "Cumfy" cut and porous knit; extra special values. Sizes 36 to 44. At, each, 65c.

Women's Combinations, porous knit, made with low neck and short sleeves. A splendid wearing quality and suitable for Spring. They have loose knee, lace trimmed. All sizes at, a suit, $1.25. —Knit Underwear, 1st Floor

Buy Travelling Goods at Last Year's Prices While You Can

Here is a great value in Waterproof, Canvas-covered Trunk—Hardwood slats, iron bottom, heavy reinforced corners, nicely lined inside. Is fitted with hat and skirt tray and two leather outside straps. Size 32 inches at $12.25. Size 34 inches at $12.75. Size 36 at $13.25.

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A Suitcase of good fibre, that will wear better than some qualities of leather. Made on a steel frame and well finished. Has stout handles, leather corners, lock, key, and side clasps. The case is well lined inside, extra deep in body, and has two leather outside straps. This is a case that will keep its shape. Size 24-inch at, each, $7.00. Size 26-inch at, each, $7.25. —Trunks and Suitcases, Main Floor

Men's Socks and Boys' Hose Very Special Values

Men's Heavy Grey Socks, with red and blue toe and heel. Reg. value 40c. For three days only, clearing at, a pair, 25c.

Men's Lisle Thread Socks, for early Spring wear; well made and finished; all colors, and black. Splendid value at last year's prices, a pair, 50c.

Men's Hand-Machine Knitted, All-Wool Socks, fine quality and soft; colors, grey and black; at, a pair, $1.50.

Boys' Fancy Turn-over Top Hose, in heather grey mixtures. Sizes 7½ to 8, at, a pair, $2.00. Sizes 8½ to 9, at, a pair, $2.10. Larger sizes at, a pair, $2.50. —Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Silk and Satin Underskirts

Underskirts, of good quality silk, in shades of white and pale pink; made with wide flounces and finished with a trimming of lace and ribbons. They are priced now at, each, $6.75.

Underskirts of Satin, made with embroidered flounces; a skirt most adaptable for evening wear, and one in which you will experience the very best value at, each, $8.75. —Whitewear, 1st Floor

White Flannelettes, Pure Finish, Reliable in Wear, Soft Qualities

White Flannelette, 28 inches wide, at, a yard, 35c.

White Flannelette, 34 inches wide, at, a yard, 40c.

White Flannelette, 36 inches wide, double warp, at, a yard, 85c.

White Flannelette, recommended, at, a yard, 35c.

White Flannelette, 30 inches wide, very durable, at, a yard, 40c.

White Flannelette, English, 35 inches, at, a yard, 75c.

White Flannelette, 36 inches wide, high-grade English make, at, a yard, 85c.

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Men's Stripe Flannelette Pajamas At, a Suit, $2.50

Here is a bargain in Pajamas that will attract your attention at once—Pajamas made from stripe flannelette, in good, medium weight, with frog trimmings and pearl buttons, and finished with pocket. All sizes at, a suit, $2.50. —Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

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